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BIRTH.

BURKE—November 21, 1935, at The Governor's House, Limerick Prison, the wife of Captain H. C. Burke, of a son.

MARRIAGE.

MORIARTY and McCARTHY—November 7, 1935, at University Chapel, Cork, by Rev. C. Moriarty, C.C., Millstreet, assisted by Very Rev. Canon Fowey, P.P., Mitchelstown; Rev. M. Blake, C.C., Kilmaend; and Rev. D. Moriarty, C.C., Tralee—Michael, youngest son of Michael and Mrs. Moriarty, Killarney, to Kitty, younger daughter of Dr. and Mrs. McCarthy, Mitchelstown.

DEATHS.

ARMSTRONG—Thursday, November 28, 1935, at his residence, Artclea House, Fivemiletown, Henry Tottenham Armstrong, J.P. Funeral to Fivemiletown Churchyard to-morrow (Saturday), 30th November, at 2 p.m.

BROWNRIGG—November 23, 1935, at Haslemere, Annesley Harold Brownrigg, of Stanemare, Pirbright, son of the late Annesley and Louisa Marion Brownrigg, aged 53.

EAKINS—November 28, 1935, suddenly, at the residence of his sister (Mrs. Lyons, 23 Ward avenue, Bangor, County Down), William Sloan Eakins, late of Dundalk. Funeral private.

HANNIGAN—November 28, 1935, at his residence, Altamira, Liscarrol, County Cork, John P. Hannigan. Deeply regretted. R.I.P. High Mass at 10.30 a.m. to-morrow (Saturday), 30th November. Funeral from Liscarrol Parish Church for Drumcollogher at 1.30 o'clock.

HEUTHWAITE—November 28, 1935, at his residence, 7 Ulster street, Phibsborough, Reuben, dearly-beloved husband of Annie Heuthwaite (late representative Peter Conacher and Co., Huddersfield). Funeral arriving Mount Jerome Cemetery to-morrow (Saturday) at 10 a.m.

KENNEDY—November 28, 1935, at her residence, 8 Dunedin, Connaught avenue, Cork, Mary Anne, relict of the late Richard Bodkin Kennedy. Funeral strictly private.

McCREA—November 27, 1935, at Durban, Natal, Frederick Haughton Gower, elder son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCrea, of Sandycove, aged 35. (By cable.)

O'BRIEN—November 28, 1935, Jane A. L. O'Brien, Miltown-Malbay, beloved wife of Thomas O'Brien, Central Hotel, sister of N. C. Philpott. Funeral to-day (Friday), Miltown-Malbay, at 3 o'clock. American and Australian papers please copy.

O'MALLEY—November 27, 1935, at 19 Lennox Gardens, Dollis Hill, London, Mary O'Malley, the wife of William O'Malley, formerly M.P. for Connemara District, the only surviving sister of the late Right Hon. T. P. O'Connor, M.P., aged 79.

POULTON—November 27, 1935, at her residence, 7 Anglesea avenue, Blackrock, Mary, youngest daughter of the late John Poulton, Royal Navy. "With Christ, which is far better." Funeral strictly private.

RUBY—November 27, 1935, at the Victoria Hospital, Cork, Anna Colburn Ruby, elder daughter of the late Rev. J. S. Ruby, Murragh Rectory, and dearly-loved sister of Sara S. Hawkes, Bride Park, Ovens. "Thy will be done." Funeral private.

RYDER—November 28, 1935, at his residence, Erin Lodge, Sandymount avenue, John Alfred Ryder. R.I.P. Remains will be taken to Star of the Sea Church at 8 p.m. to-day (Friday). Funeral to-morrow (Saturday) morning, after 10 o'clock Mass, to Glasnevin Cemetery.

WOODNEY—November 28, 1935, at Carlingford, Christopher, elder son of the late William Woodney. Funeral to-morrow (Saturday) at Carlingford.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found on Page 6.

IN MEMORIAM.

BARLOW—Tenth Anniversary—In loving memory of my dear mother, Jane Barlow, who died on 29th November, 1925, at her residence, 22 Island street.

And with the morn those angel faces smile
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DOYLE—In ever-loving memory of my dear husband, James A. Doyle, M.P.S.I., 363 North Circular road, Phibsborough, who passed away on November 29th, 1933. Sadly missed by his loving wife and daughters.

HEALY—In ever-loving memory of my dear husband, Thomas J. Healy, who entered into rest on November 29th, 1933. "Peace, perfect peace."

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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the Statute 22nd and 23rd Vic., Cap. 35, that all persons claiming to be creditors, or otherwise to have any claim against the estate of the above Deceased, who died on the 11th May, 1935, are required on or before the 7th day of December, 1935, to furnish full particulars (in writing) of their claims to the undersigned Solicitor for the Executor, Albert George Scott, to whom Probate of the Will of said Deceased was granted forth of the Principal Probate Registry on the 7th October, 1935.

And Notice is hereby further given, that after the said 7th day of December, 1935, the said Executor will distribute the estate and assets of said Deceased, having regard only to the claims of which particulars shall have been furnished as above required.

Dated this 27th day of November, 1935.
SAMUEL ROCHE, Solicitor, Tullow, Co. Carlow.

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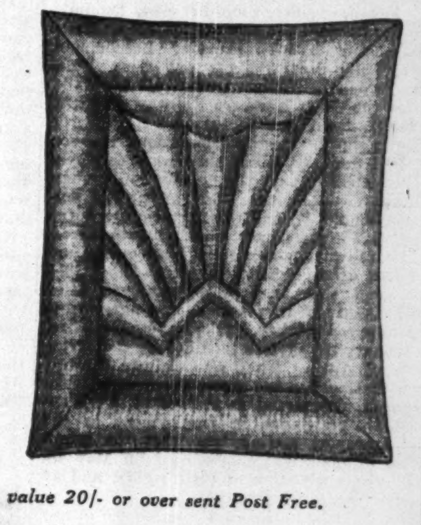

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(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE JOHNSTON.)

THE hearing of the action of William Fegan, cleaner, Clonliffe road, Dublin; John Lamb, cleaner, Hill road, Malahide; John Lynch, fireman, Beechmount street, Falls road, Belfast, and Thos. Coleman, fireman, Culhaine street, Dundalk, against the Great Northern Railway Company (Ireland), Ltd., was continued.

The plaintiffs sought declarations that on the 29th January, 1933, they were employés of the defendants in the conciliation grades, and were within the class known as permanent employés, and that agreements dated April, 1933, were new and separate agree on the railway, incorporated agreements and practices existing before January 29 of that year, and that they were employed after April 6, subject to practices and agreements regarding redundancy, seniority, etc., existing on January 29, save as modified by the agreements of April. They also claimed declarations that, under the April agreements, suitable men, discharged as redundant, were entitled to preference in employment in the road transport section, and that the termination of plaintiffs' employment on May 13, 1933, was a violation of their rights, and an inquiry regarding damages.

The defendants denied the existence of any class of locomotive employés known as permanent, and pleaded that the agreements of April, 1393, were now and separate agreements. They further pleaded that the plaintiffs and others who took up work pursuant to notices served under those agreements were employed temporarily for four weeks, and that afterwards defendants were entitled to discharge such of the plaintiffs and others who had ceased work on January 31 as they considered unnecessary for dealing with the traffic.

Mr. Gavan Duffy, K.C.; Mr. J. A. McCarthy, K.C., and Mr. A. Lynn (instructed by Mr. J. F. Murtagh) appeared for the plaintiffs; and Mr. Denning, K.C.; Mr. J. M. FitzGerald, K.C., and Mr. Maurice Walker (instructed by Mr. C. Baillie Gage) for the defendants

GRADED AS REDUNDANT

John Lynch, one of the plaintiffs, continued his evidence, and, in reply to Mr. McCarthy, said that when he resumed his employment with the railway company this year he did not regain his seniority. He was graded as a redundant fireman, and was employed as a cleaner, although before the strike he had been a fireman. During the strike some men were loyal and others were taken on to try to run the rail services. These men put him back in the seniority list when he resumed, as they had been retained. The loyal men were junior to him during and before the strike. During the period of the strike men were promoted out of their seniority, and this also put him further back in the seniority list, delayed his promotion, and put him further back in the redundancy list.

The witness also said that he knew four men who formerly were drivers, and who now were redundant drivers because the men taken on during the strike had been retained, and this had the effect of putting him still further back on the redundancy list.

In reply to further questions, the witness said that in the present action he represented 150 of the "rank and file" in Belfast, about 100 of whom had been re-engaged on the railway after the strike, as he had been re-employed.

In cross-examination by Mr. Denning, the witness said that in the railway service seniority applied to the whole line, and was irrespective of the men employed in any particular depôt. The men who had been on strike resumed, and there was no question of disturbed seniority amongst themselves; but the retaining of the other men put the men below them further back.

Mr. J. O'Herlihy, of the Department of Industry and Commerce, who was examined on the previous day, was recalled.

Mr. K. Dixon (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor) said that he appeared for the Minister, and that Mr. O'Herlihy, who had given evidence on the previous day, had produced the documents which he had been notified to bring to the court. He was now asked to produced files, the production of which, the Minister thought, would be prejudicial to the public interest.

Mr. Justice Johnston said that he was glad that the Minister was represented, because some of the questions that already had been put to Mr. O'Herlihy raised some doubt in his mind about their propriety in the public service

Mr. McCarthy said that the only documents they wanted produced were letters between the Railway Company and the Department, but they would get them proved in another way.

Mr. O'Herlihy then left the witness box.

RE-EMPLOYED

Thomas Coleman, one of the plaintiffs, said that he entered the services of the defendants as a cleaner at Dundalk in February, 1919, and later was made a permanent employé. On 6th May, 1933, he got a letter terminating his services, and on 8th April he again got employment with the company and was paid first year fireman's wages. At present he was getting 9s. 6d. a day, minus 7½ per cent.

Cross-examined by Mr. Denning, he said that his complaint was that the men had been dismissed in May, 1933, and that they should not have been dismissed, in view of the undertaking given by the Minister for Industry and Commerce, and of the terms of the redundancy clause of the national agreement. The service of the "loyal" men and of the strangers interfered with his seniority, and had it not been for their presence with the company it would not have been necessary to dismiss the other men.

Mr. Denning—During the four weeks after the strike, when you and all the other men came back, was there enough work to go round?—No, sir.

And do you think when there was not enough work for the men, none of them was redundant?—They could not be redundant while there were men retained in our places who were not expelled.

Do you object to the "loyalists"?—I maintain they have no right to be there while we have been dismissed.

And they would have to go as redundants before you?—Yes, in view of the undertaking of the Minister and the redundancy clause.

You could not become redundant until they were dismissed?—That is so.

Mr. Justice Johnston—Do you mean all the "loyal" men, or only such as were junior to you?—I mean the "loyal" men to whom I am senior, and the strangers.

Mr. Denning—What do you think the railway company were to do during the strike? And were they bound to put all the men who worked for them during the strike into the position of cleaners?—I cannot answer that.

Charles Martin, an engine driver, having given evidence, the case for the plaintiffs closed.

THE DEFENCE

Opening the case for the defendants, Mr. Denning said that the agreements of 6th April, 1933, were two separate and distinct agreements. One dealt solely with the question of wages and the other with what was to happen to the men who went on strike, after they had agreed to a reduction of wages. A good deal of that latter agreement could not refer either to the "loyalists" or to the strangers, because, amongst other things, the guaranteed week was paid to the "loyalists" and to the strangers during the four weeks after the strike. A general principle was agreed upon that all men who had ceased work should be reinstated in order of seniority, and he submitted that the construction of that agreement was that the basis of it was that the men who had ceased work were to be reinstated on the basis of seniority amongst themselves.

It was agreed that all the men who struck were to go back if they liked, and the company had carried out the arrangement with regard to all those men during the four weeks after resumption. It had been agreed that the guaranteed week be suspended during that period and that the work be shared equally among the men, because, as the Court had been told, there was not enough work to go round. It was agreed that, on the restoration of the guaranteed week, the company should retain sufficient staff to deal adequately with traffic, and give consideration to any representations made by the unions regarding redundant men. Preference in regard to employment on the road transport and 'bus services was to be given to suitable men discharged as redundant, and the company had taken some of them into the 'bus service. He submitted that the agreement of 1922 was adopted in April, 1933, for certain purposes only, and was not adopted fully.

"A NEW CONTRACT"

Mr. Denning went on to say that the company recognised redundancy and the necessity for persons being put back, and had taken the view that it strictly applied to all persons affected by the agreement of April 6: that all persons who were on strike were affected by it; that it was not an agreement affecting the other men, who might be described as the "loyal" men and the strangers, who were taken in at the time of the strike.

Mr. Justice Johnston—So that the whole question of security is dependent on the narrow construction of the agreement?

Mr. Denning said that that was the company's case. He went on to deal with the question of exception from unemployment benefit, and said that the company did not admit the contention of the plaintiffs in this matter, but that, if they were to do so, they would say that there were only three persons who had any cause for complaint.

In conclusion, he submitted that on the true construction of the terms of the agreement of April 6, 1933, the men came back under a new contract after the strike, the new contract, possibly, containing some of the old terms.

Hugh McIntosh, assistant-mechanical engineer and running superintendent, gave evidence that when the strike took place all the locomotive staff in the Free State left, but a few remained on in the North. Some of the men living in Northern Ireland came back to work during the strike, and four ex-employés were taken on during that period. The "loyal" men and outsiders working during the strike period totalled fifteen, and one of them had since died. The notices of dismissal which took effect on 13th May, 1933, left sufficient staff to carry on. As soon as services warranted it, men were taken back in strict order of seniority, including the plaintiffs Lynch and Coleman. No victimisation had been thought of in connection with the persons who took part in that action. Three of the plaintiffs in a previous action against the company had been taken back, and, so far as vacancies occurred, the other plaintiffs in the present action would take their turn in seniority whether they won, lost or drew in the action. The "loyal" men and those taken on during the strike got full pay during the transition period which followed the settlement.

BASIC AGREEMENT

In cross-examination by Mr. Gavan Duffy, witness said that the basic agreement governing the locomotive service to-day was that of 1922, as amended by subsequent agreements, and that applied to the men whether they had gone on strike or not. The 1922 agreement, as amended, and the two agreements of April, 1933, applied to all the men in the locomotive department. The giving of full pay during the transition period was the only difference recognised between the "loyal" men and those brought in during the strike, except that special seniority was given to the former on account of special service. Substantially that was the only distinction between the two sets of men. The 1933 agreements were merely variations of the pre-existent conditions.

The opinion that he formed of the two agreements was, said the witness, that they had to be read together, and he believed that that was the opinion of the company also. It was very important for the men on strike that the very first article of their agreement should be that they were to be reinstated on the terms of seniority, but the order of seniority in which they were to be reinstated was altered by reason of the fact that three drivers and twelve firemen who had been taken on by the company during the strike came on the seniority list.

The cross-examination of the witness had not concluded when the Court rose, and the further hearing was adjourned until next Tuesday.

A WATERFORD WRECK

(BEFORE THE CHIEF JUSTICE, MR. JUSTICE FITZGIBBON AND MR. JUSTICE MURNAGHAN.)

The hearing of the appeal of the British and South American Steam Navigation Company, St. Mary Axe, London, was concluded, and judgment was reserved. The appeal was from an order of the High Court dismissing the company's application for the discharge of an order that gave leave to Thomas Shipsey, Secretary of the Waterford Harbour Commissioners, to issue a plenary summons for service on the appellants out of the jurisdiction, claiming £5,614 for lighting, buoying and dispersing the wreck of the appellants' steamship, Hermione, which had struck a mine, and had been towed into Waterford Harbour, in April, 1917.

Mr. Leonard, K.C., and Mr. Ashley Powell (instructed by Messrs. D. and T. Fitzgerald) appeared for the appellants; and Mr. Frank FitzGibbon, K.C., and Mr. Monks (instructed by Messrs. Thornton and Son) for the respondent

BANK GUARANTEE

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE SULLIVAN.)

Judgment was given in favour of the plaintiffs, the Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd., in the action in which the defendant, Margaret MacSwiney, South Main street, Bandon, Co. Cork, was sued on foot of a guarantee of the 9th April, 1920, under which John MacSwiney, her husband, and others, guaranteed to the bank the payment of all sums then due by Daniel O'Brien, Knockpagallen, Bandon, or to become due by him, to the amount of £4,000. It appeared that John MacSwiney died on the 11th October, 1928, having previously made his will appointing his wife his executrix.

Mr. Michael Binchy, K.C., and Mr. W. O'B. Fitzgerald (instructed by Mr. James Neville) appeared for the plaintiffs; and Mr. Coghlan (instructed by Mr. J. McCarthy) for the defendant.

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GALWAY MURDER TRIAL

A VERDICT OF MANSLAUGHTER

PRISONER'S STORY OF QUARREL

THE trial was continued yesterday in the Central Criminal Court, Dublin, before Mr. Justice Meredith, of Michael Cloherty, aged 45 years, a labourer, of Bowling Green, Galway, for the murder of Thomas Bane, aged 27 years, a farmer's son. The alleged murder took place in Cloherty's house on June 8th last. Cloherty pleaded not guilty. He was defended by Mr. M. J. Connolly, K.C., and Mr. J. C. Conroy (instructed by Mr. O'Donnell, Galway).

Mr. M. Maguire, K.C., with Mr. Kevin Haugh (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor) prosecuted.

Guard Henaghan, who gave his evidence in Irish, said that, in consequence of a statement made by Nora Cloherty at the Civic Guard station, he and Guard S. O Searcaigh went towards Bowling Green, and on their way met a motor car, on the rear seat of which a man was stretched. He was covered with blood and had the appearance of being in great pain. He now knew it was Thomas Bane. He told the car driver to take him to the Central Hospital. They went on to the house of Cloherty, who had a knife in his right hand. The witness took the knife.

Cross-examined by Mr. Conroy in Irish, the witness said that, perhaps, Cloherty had some drink taken, but was not drunk. Witness did not smell drink.

James Ward, motor driver, Galway, described how he saw a man lying on the ground with a wound in his throat, and took him to hospital. He appeared to be dying.

MEDICAL EVIDENCE

Dr. John McHugh said that Bane was admitted to the hospital at 9 p.m., and died seven or eight minutes later. He was deeply unconscious, suffering from a very marked loss of blood, and his condition was hopeless from the start. He was almost pulseless. There was a wound in the left side of his neck, 2½ inches deep and three-quarters of an inch wide. Its direction was upwards and inwards. Death was due to shock and hemorrhage as a result of the wound.

Replying to Mr. Justice Meredith, witness said a considerable amount of strength would have to be used to cause the wound by the knife (produced). In a struggle the wound could have been caused by a man pushing another man away and without any definite intention to make a thrust.

Dr. J. McGrath, State Pathologist, corroborated the last witness's evidence concerning the wound. He formed the opinion that the wound must have been caused by a stab and not pressure. It would take considerable pressure—if pressure alone were used—to cause the wound of 2½ inches, the length of the blade being three inches. If a knife were being pushed against the person he would recoil from it.

Guard Fox gave evidence as to seeing Bane in the house along with Michael Burke on the evening of the killing. He did not speak to him. He did not then know who Bane was, although he remembered having seen him about the city.

Sergeant Tomas Morrisroe was about to give evidence in Irish of a statement, after caution, made by Cloherty on the way to the Garda station, when Mr. Connolly objected.

Mr. Justice Meredith upheld the objection and said that the statement was inadmissible.

Sergeant E. O'Mongan said that there was a smell of drink off Cloherty.

Detective-Officer Thomas Keating said that he saw the prisoner tested for drunkenness in the barracks He was not drunk, though he smelt of drink.

APPEARED DAZED

Superintendent John Murphy corroborated this evidence and said that Cloherty appeared dazed, but spoke intelligently. At Cloherty's house he saw marks of blood about which somebody had attempted to clean up. Later he charged the prisoner with the murder of Thomas Bane, and gave him the usual caution in English. When charged, Cloherty said: : "Thomas Bane? Where is he from? I never heard tell of him in my life. I don't know him good or bad; that's all."

Cross-examined by Mr. Conroy in Irish, the witness said that they had not got the deceased's coat there. It was covered with blood, but not torn

Mr. Connolly, K.C., on the resumption after luncheon asked for a direction on the charge of murder. He said that no evidence had been given in support of the charge. Evidence had been given that the two men had a quarrel, and in the course of it Bane had received an injury which caused his death. There was no evidence of premeditation on the part of the accused man to kill Bane.

Mr. Justice Meredith declined to give a direction at that stage.

Mr. Connolly, addressing the jury for the defence, said that there was no malice aforethought, no intention or deliberation, which was essential in a trial for murder. Cloherty was a man who had many wounds in his body as the result of four years' service in the Great War, and had been discharged from the British Army as physically unfit as a soldier. He and Bane were strangers.

A LOT OF DRINK

There was no pre-existing grudge between them. No motive of any kind actuated the accused man. It appeared that down in Galway they could take a considerable amount of drink without getting drunk and the accused man had about twelve bottles of stout before 4 o'clock. He found Bane in his house and asked him what he was doing there Bane replied that he was waiting for tea. Cloherty told him to go. Bane had said that if he (Cloherty) vexed him he would be sorry. That was said to a man who had a perfect right to put Bane out of his house. Cloherty was in such a condition that even when charged he did not remember Bane, or the row with him. Bane had had a lot of drink, and had quarrelled in a public-house. He was, apparently, a person who became aggressive when in drink. He submitted that on the evidence there was no question of murder in this case. It could not be anything more than manslaughter; but he would submit that even the crime of manslaughter had not been committed. The law allowed for such a case as a quarrel under provocation, where even a knife or such a weapon was used. When a man was attacked he was entitled to use any weapon to overcome it, having regard to the nature of the attack. This was a case of a man being attacked in his own house. It was the right of a citizen to defend himself in any place. Cloherty was not physically fit to meet the attack on him in his own house by a man of so much more stature and weight than himself.

MANY TIMES WOUNDED

Michael Cloherty, the accused, giving evidence, said that he was 44 or 45 years, and was 5ft. 5ins. high. He joined the British Army, and was in France in 1914. He was wounded in the hand and arm in September, 1914. The little finger of his left hand had to be amputated. He was wounded again in February, 1916, in the right foot, and got a bullet right through his left side, and was also injured in the forehead, and by shrapnel in the left foot. He was a considerable time in hospital. He was discharged in 1918 as unfit for further service. His discharge described him as a sober, honest and reliable man, no longer fit for war.

In further evidence, Cloherty said that on the morning of June 8th last he was not feeling well, but got up and went to work. He took some drink at 10 o'clock, and took several drinks during the day. When he returned to his home he asked Bane what he wanted there, and Bane said that he came in for tea. Witness told Bane to get out, as he had already enough trouble. An argument followed, and Bane refused to go. He caught hold of witness's collar and began to "puck" him in the side. He was sore from it for days afterwards. He tried to get away. He did not know how he got rid of Bane, and could remember nothing until he awoke in the barrack.

The knife (produced) was his. He did not remember Guard Sharkey finding him at the house with the knife in his hand. He did not remember using it during the row.

Cross-examined by Mr. Maguire, the witness said that he could not contradict the Guards' evidence that they found the knife in his hand. He could not remember using the knife.

Mr. Connolly—In using a bayonet would you strike up or down?—I would strike straight.

Proceeding, the witness said that he could not account for the bloodstains on his coat and trousers.

John Murphy, examined by Mr. Conroy in Irish, said that he knew Michael Cloherty well from the time he was a boy. He was at Cloherty's house every evening. He was there on June 8th. On that occasion Cloherty was in the horrors from drink. Cloherty and his wife had an argument, and the former said that there was nobody to be kept in the house only himself.

Cross-examined by Mr. Haugh in Irish, witness said that there was no trouble there, except that Cloherty looked a bit wild.

Mrs. Delia Horan said that Cloherty called to her shop for cigarettes, and she did not give them to him because he had drink taken and would not remember having got them.

Mr. J. C. Conroy, for the defence, said that in this case Cloherty considered his life was endangered. A man was entitled to fight to any extreme if his life was endangered. On one side there was a strong, young, virile man who refused to leave the house when asked to do so in a civil manner. There was no doubt but that Cloherty considered his life in danger, and consequently there was only one verdict that could be brought in, and that was a verdict of not guilty.

Mr. Justice Meredith asked counsel what was his theory as to how and at what stage the knife was drawn.

Mr. Conroy said that he held that the knife was not drawn until Cloherty was being pummelled by Bane, and that when he drew it Cloherty did so automatically. Counsel showed the jury how the knife could be opened with one hand.

Mr. Haugh, for the prosecution, said that he would suggest that the accused man was greatly angered by the stand taken up by his wife and daughter about the taking of lodgers. When he returned to the house at 8.30 p.m. Cloherty concluded that the man had come to stay in the house. In anger he suddenly drew the knife, and when he had the opportunity picked out a vital part of the body to plunge it into. No evidence had been produced to show that Thomas Bane was of a violent disposition.

ADDRESS TO JURY

Mr. Justice Meredith, in his address to the jury, said that the prosecution had failed to prove that the knife was the property of the accused man. They had offered no evidence as to the owner of the knife. All the State had proved was that when the Guards came the accused had the knife in his hand and that it was taken from him. If they came to the conclusion that there was no malice aforethought, they would have to consider whether it was justifiable homicide. He was afraid although the man was told to go out of the house and would not go was no excuse for taking up a weapon of that kind. They might consider whether their verdict would be one of manslaughter.

The jury retired to consider their verdict.

Recalling the jury at the instance of Mr. Maguire,

Mr. Justice Meredith said that there was no direct evidence from the accused himself that he had drawn the knife in self-defence.

After an absence of three-quarters of an hour the jury returned a verdict of not guilty of murder, but guilty of manslaughter. They added a strong recommendation to mercy.

Mr. Justice Meredith said that he thoroughly endorsed the view the jury had taken. He fully understood their view in their strong recommendation to mercy. He would impose a sentence of twelve months' imprisonment, to date from the day of Cloherty's arrest.

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ACTION TO BE HEARD THIS TERM

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE JOHNSTON.)

IN the case of the Cork County Council against the Attorney-General, Mr. J. A. Costello, K.C., with whom were Mr. J. M. FitzGerald, K.C., and Mr. Ashley Powell (instructed by Mr. A. H. Exham), for the plaintiffs, mentioned an adjourned motion on their behalf for discovery of documents.

The plaintiffs seek declarations that they are entitled to their share of the grants forming part of the Guarantee Fund, without any deduction being made for the purpose of recouping the Exchequer for losses arising from the non-payment of land annuities.

Mr. Costello said that the motion had been allowed to stand over from Tuesday to enable counsel for the defendant to get authority from the Attorney-General to furnish the plaintiffs with a list of documents which the defence were prepared to show without a formal order for discovery.

LIST OF DOCUMENTS

Mr. Geoghegan, K.C., who, with Mr. Gavan Duffy, K.C., and Mr. K. Dixon (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor), appeared for the Attorney-General, said that they would be prepared, within a reasonable time, to furnish to the solicitor for the plaintiffs, a list of documents which would be made available for inspection. He thought that the plaintiffs did not really mean to ask discovery of some of the documents asked for in the affidavit grounding their application. In the first place, reference was made to a number of letters that had passed between the plaintiffs and the Minister for Local Government and Public Health. It was inconceivable, he said, that the County Council would write letters and fail to keep copies. Discovery was also asked of circular letters issued to County Councils, but if County Councils did not file circular letters sent out by the Department it would be a reflection on the Councils. The plaintiffs could ease the task of the defence if they sent a list of documents which they actually required. The two Ministers most intimately concerned with the matter were not parties to the action, and the Attorney-General would have to communicate with their Departments. In so far as the documents could be disclosed in any case, and in so far as the considerations that applied to documents of State permitted, the defendant would furnish a list of documents that would be available. He suggested that a week would be a short period for the purpose, having regard to the fact that the documents in question were not directly under the control of the Attorney-General.

Mr. Justice Johnston said that he would adjourn the motion for discovery until the trial of the action, with liberty to either party to enter it at any time if so advised. He was sure that the County Council would get whatever they wanted from the Attorney-General.

ORIGINALS

Mr. Costello said that they only wanted sufficient documents to enable them to prove matters of fact. They wanted to do so by virtue of the fact that the defendant traversed every matter of fact in their statement of claim. They must produce the originals of various documents.

Mr. Geoghegan—The production of originals would come on at the trial.

Mr. Costello said that the case was concerned purely with questions of law and the construction of the Land Purchase Acts. There was £146,000 involved. He asked that as early a date as possible be fixed for the trial of the action.

Mr. Justice Johnston said that he did not think it could be tried during the present term.

Mr. Costello—If your lordship cannot try it this term the action is at an end, because a bill was introduced in the Dail yesterday to nullify these proceedings. If we do not get a hearing within the next few weeks we will be met with retrospective legislation. Expense has been incurred in this action, and the Cork County Council is practically ready to go on.

TO BE TRIED THIS TERM

Mr. Justice Johnston—Then I will try the action this term.

Mr. Geoghegan said that he suggested that Mr. Costello's statement was not a proper one to be made at the Bar. It was not a reason to be advanced for the trial of an action otherwise than in the ordinary course.

Mr. Justice Johnston repeated that he would try the action this term.

Mr. Geoghegan said that he did not object in the least to that. If his friend had merely asked for an early trial he would not have said a word.

Mr. Justice Johnston said that he could not at the moment fix the date of the trial, but he would examine his list and see when the case could be taken.

Mr. Costello said that precisely the same point arose in an action being brought by the Louth County Council against the Attorney-General.

Mr. Justice Johnston intimated that the action by the Louth County Council could be put in the list for the same day as the action by the Cork Council.

A LABOUR DISPUTE

KILKENNY APPEAL

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE HANNA AND MR. JUSTICE O'BYRNE.)

An appeal on behalf of the defendant was heard in an action that was tried in the Kilkenny Circuit Court, in which the plaintiff was Thomas Cranny, a labourer, residing at 17 Newbuilding lane, Kilkenny, and the defendant Alderman James P. Pattison, T.D., Dean street, Kilkenny.

The plaintiff claimed £10 10s. damages from the defendant, alleging that the defendant, on the 22nd May, 1933, while the plaintiff was employed by Richard B. Nolan as a builder's labourer at the Fairgreen, Kilkenny, induced Nolan without justification to break his contract of employment with Cranny and dismiss him and not re-employ him. The defence was a denial that the defendant induced Nolan to break his contract with Cranny, and a plea that, if he did so, it was in discharge of his duty as Secretary of the Kilkenny branch of the Irish Transport and General Workers' Union, and in furtherance of a trade dispute. The Circuit Judge found for the plaintiff and awarded him £6 6s. damages, and the appeal was from this decision.

Mr. J. M. FitzGerald, K.C., and Mr. J. J. Walsh (instructed by Messrs. Buggy and Co.) appeared for the appellant, and Mr. R. O'Hanrahan (instructed by Mr. James O'Hanrahan) for the respondent.

Mr. Walsh, for the appellant, said that it was hardly necessary to say that the amount involved was not of much importance, but the principle involved and the interpretation which the Circuit Judge had placed on the Trades Disputes Acts was one of vital importance to the trade union of which the defendant was an official. The appeal was taken on the grounds that at all material times a trade dispute existed or was contemplated.

Mr. Justice Hanna—The Judge held that there was not a trade dispute, and that the defendant was not entitled to the protection of the Trades Disputes Act.

DISMISSED MEN

Mr. Walsh said that that was so. What happened was that Mr. Nolan had a number of trade unionists in his employment, and for some reason he dismissed seven of them in April, 1933. After that Alderman Pattison communicated with Nolan in his capacity as secretary of the local branch of the union, and intimated that no other men were to be employed on this work until the seven men who had been dismissed had been absorbed back on the work. Cranny was a non-unionist, and on May 22nd he was employed by Nolan, and that very day Pattison went to Nolan, and as a result of his intimation that if Cranny was retained the trade unionists would be called out Cranny was dismissed by Nolan.

Counsel said that he contended that the Circuit Judge had misdirected himself, in that, while finding there was not a trade dispute at the time, he disregarded the further finding that was necessary—that a trade dispute was in contemplation if Cranny was retained in the job while the seven men whose services had been dispensed with were not re-employed.

The arguments had not concluded when the further hearing was adjourned until today.

CAERLEON SALE

A catalogue of the contents of Caerleon, Killiney, County Dublin which has been issued by the auctioneers, Messrs. Jackson Stops and Joyce, gives particulars of the valuable property which is to be sold by public auction on next Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 3rd, 4th and 5th December, by direction of Dr. M. T. Gibson. Among many other articles will be sold an important collection of old Waterford and English glass, English and Continental china, rare prints, Queen Anne, Chippendale and Sheraton furniture, old Irish and English silver and Sheffield plate, high-class modern furniture, plants, the contents of hothouses and outdoor effects.

BUILDING MATERIALS

TENDENCY TO INCREASED PRICE

EVIDENCE BEFORE COMMISSION

FURTHER evidence regarding the cost of materials used in the building of houses in the Free State was given yesterday at a public sitting of the Prices Commission—the Chairman, Mr. J. P. O'Brien, presiding.

Mr. H. D. Pearson (Messrs. Smith and Pearson, Ltd., Dublin) gave evidence upon the cost of metal casements. He said that his firm did not belong to any price-fixing organisation. The prices of his firm's products were based on the price of steel.

The percentage cost of raw materials was tending to increase. Wages also were increasing. There was, he said, this week a demand for an increase all round. Their prices for window sashes were based on foreign prices. The percentage cost was not increasing.

Mr. A. J. Wallace (Crittalls (I.F.S.), Ltd., Dublin) said that he was also a director of Messrs. Brooks, Thomas and Co., who were agents here for Crittalls until a few years ago, when they thought it would be better to put up a factory here. They approached Crittalls, who gave them every help they could.

SASH PRICES

With regard to the prices for sashes, they were working on the list in force when the factory was started here. He did not think that prices were less in England now. They did not belong to any combine outside the country, nor were their prices influenced by those of Crittalls (England). Prices were fixed by competition. They had plenty of competition, he added. It was sometimes hard to keep the factory going full time. They were producing now as good an article as Crittalls' factories in England.

Mr. T. McGrath (Bandon Steel Industries, Ltd., Bandon), giving evidence on metal casements, said that his firm began manufacturing in 1933. Every penny of the capital was subscribed locally, and every member of the firm was from the Bandon district. The output of the factory was growing. Their main trade was in Cork city and county, but they had a big trade in the West of Ireland.

Prices of concrete products were discussed by Mr. W. T. Chadwick (Concrete Products of Ireland, Ltd., Dublin). He said that since June of this year all tiles, with the exception of the small tile, were down in price by 10 per cent.

CEMENT BRICKS

Mr. T. J. Moran (Moracrete, Ltd., Dublin) said that he could sell one million bricks per year in the City of Dublin, but there was a certain prejudice in the City Housing Department against the use of cement bricks. He had supplied millions for very big buildings in Dublin, such as the Theatre Royal, where 1,250,000 bricks had been used. His firm had not reached maximum production. The plant cost £30,000. One machine, which cost £4,000, had been idle for almost twelve months

Mr. E. O'Rahilly and Mr. W. O'Rahilly (Weatherwell Tile Co., Ltd., Clondalkin) gave evidence with reference to the manufacture of tiles

Mr. E. O'Rahilly said that some time ago the firm had received a letter from Mr. Simms, of the Dublin Corporation, stating that their tiles were the cheapest roofing material that the Corporation had used since before the war. That applied more forcibly to-day, as their prices had since gone down. The durability of colour in tiles was a big problem, but he thought it had been surmounted.

Mr. W. J. Hickey (Cork Tile Co.) said that it had been necessary to reduce prices on account of competition. Up to a few years ago competition was confined to a few makers in Dublin. Now they were in every corner of the Free State. They had three in Cork as well as factories in Limerick, Waterford, Tralee and Galway. They had sprung up since 1933, all manufacturing roofing tiles, and satisfying the demand in their particular locality. Since he came to Dublin he had heard that a factory for the manufacture of asbestos slates may be started here in the near future.

The Commission adjourned

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DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURT

CITY PARTNERSHIP

DISSOLUTION SOUGHT

(BEFORE JUDGE DAVITT.)

In the equity suit of Evans v. Smallman, Mr. Campbell, K.C., with whom was Mr. Herbert Hare (instructed by Messrs. W. C. Hogan and Sons), for the plaintiff, E. Powell Evans, Tritonville road, Sandymount, stated that his application was to confirm the certificates of the County Registrar, which in effect, amounted to a dissolution of partnership between his client and the defendant, John Spencer Harty Smallman, of Eaton square, Monkstown. The parties, he said, executed a partnership agreement on May 10th, 1927, and they traded in Blackrock as Evans and Smallman, motor engineers and repairers. The action was brought by the plaintiff to restrain the defendant from breach of covenants of the partnership agreement, for damages for breach of the covenant; and, alternatively, for dissolution of the partnership and for the sale of partnership property. In March, 1934, the Judge, said counsel, made an order that the partnership ought to be dissolved, and accounts made up. The partnership had been broken up owing to the refusal of the defendant to sign cheques to meet the demands of creditors, and the Sheriff entered. After inquiry the County Registrar found that the plaintiff had suffered damage to the amount of £1,403 10s. 0d. in respect of good-will of the business, loss of profits for six months, loss in sale of premises, plant and machinery, leaving the question of the value of petrol pumps, tanks, etc., to be assessed by the Court.

The defendant counter-claimed an order to vary the Registrar's findings in some respects.

Mr. J. McCarthy, K.C., and Mr. A. Newett (instructed by Mr. C. B. W. Boyle) appeared for the defendant.

In evidence on behalf of the plaintiff, it was stated that the six petrol pumps, tanks and oil cabinets were worth £[illegible].

For the defendant an estimate of £100 was given in respect of four of the pumps, and it was stated that the other two pumps had been given by the Texaco Co., and had never been the property of the firm of Evans and Smallman.

Judgment was reserved

COMMISSION ON FILM

An application was made on behalf of Sean Reynolds, Pearse street, Dublin, for leave to issue and serve a Circuit Court civil bill out of the jurisdiction upon Hanley Knoles, a film distributor, former manager of Clifton Hurst Productions, Ltd., of Whitcomb street, London. The plaintiff's claim was on foot of a guarantee whereby he was to receive certain sums as commission earned by him in the selling and distribution of the film "Irish Hearts" in Saorstat Eireann. This Irish-made film, it was stated, was shown throughout the Free State on foot of contracts secured by Mr. Reynolds, but the amounts claimed in respect of commission, counsel stated, are still unpaid.

The Judge, on reading the plaintiff's affidavit, made the order asked for, and directed service in the ordinary way upon the defendant.

Mr. John Farrell (instructed by Mr. Robert O'Doherty) appeared for the plaintiff.

DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT

FINED FOR HAVING REVOLVER

(BEFORE MR. H. McCANN.)

Joseph Whelan, Royal Canal, Phibsboro', and Patrick Devine, The Borough, Phibsboro', were fined 20s. each for being in possession of a revolver without having a firearms certificate.

A charge against Whelan of having the revolver in his possession to endanger life was dismissed, and he was bound to the peace on a charge of threatening behaviour.

Evidence was given that Whelan produced the revolver in a public-house in Henry street and said to a witness: "If you tell the Guards or have me arrested, you will be plugged or shot and will not go far."

Mr. L. Trant McCarthy, solicitor, appeared for the defence.

DUBLIN PARTY SUCCESS

One of the reasons given for the great success of a recent Dublin party was the serving as part of the supper menu of the very happily named Jelly Cream Surprise, made in Dublin by Nation's of Custard fame. Those who wish to make their suppers distinctive should ask their grocers for Jelly Cream Surprise, sold in 8d. packets.

THE LICENSED TRADE

HIGHER PRICE FOR BEER

DEMAND FOR MORE SELLING FACILITIES

THE annual general meeting of the Metropolitan and County Dublin Area of the Licensed Grocers' and Vintners' Protection Association of Ireland was held at Commercial Buildings, Dublin, yesterday. Mr. Patrick Hedigan (chairman) presided, and there was a large attendance.

The Chairman said that he wished to protest against a remark made by Mr. James Dillon, T.D., when he was speaking on the Courts of Justice Bill in the Dail on Wednesday. Mr. Dillon said that he had never heard a prosecution brought by the Guards against a publican in which he had not heard perjury.

"That statement I brand as a downright lie, and a foolish statement reflecting on a business in which Mr. Dillon himsef is interested if not actually licensed. It is a foolish reflection on the Courts of Justice and on the Garda, as well as on our trade, and is in no way justified."

Mr. C. E. Reddin, Vice-Chairman, moved: "That we call upon all vintners, in their own interests and those of the beer-consuming public, to take immediate steps to discourage the sale of any but natural conditioned beers which are capable of being bottled by the vendor without having to be "processed," and so prevent the attempt of bottler-agents, in conjunction with certain brewers, to create a condition of things which must ultimately result in the destruction of the traditional relationship between brewer and retailer, with consequent disadvantages to the consumer."

Mr. W. J. O'Hara seconded, and the resolution was adopted unanimously.

DEARER BEER

Mr. Thomas Dobson moved a resolution that the following increased prices operate as from January 1st:—Irish ale on draught, 8d. per pint; do., per bottle, 7d. Lager beer, 9d. per bottle, 1s. 2d. per pint, 7d. per half-pint. These prices, he said, would only give a fair profit on Lager beer, which not alone left no money in the country, but was taking the place of sound Irish ale, or possibly Bass. We had some trade with England left yet, while the countries from which Lager is imported had no claim upon us whatever.

Mr. James Brown seconded, and the resolution was adopted.

On the motion of Mr. William O'Byrne, seconded by Mr. John Cullen, a resolution was passed urging the members of the association actively to co-operate with the tobacco manufacturers and distributors in checking the evil of price-cutting in tobacco and cigarettes, and in particular to refrain from facilitating price-cutters either by sale or exchange.

On the motion of Mr. J. J. O'Neill, seconded by Mr. James Madigan, a resolution was passed to the effect that the association was of opinion that the prices charged by the Irish Glass Bottle Company for half-pint and pint bottles are unjustified in view of the monopoly which the company enjoys.

Mr. James Gill moved—"That this meeting demands some reasonable relief from the taxation on beer and spirits imposed fifteen years ago by the British Government to meet the War Debt, from the liability for which the Free State had since been relieved. The resolution appealed to the farmers and workers to co-operate with them in seeking relief from a level of taxation "so hurtful to both our interests, by restricting the farmers' market for malting barley and other cereals, and curtailing opportunities of employment for the latter."

AN ILLICIT TRADE

Mr. Gill said that the distilling industry was at a standstill because of taxation. At the same time, the business of illicit distilling was in a flourishing condition, and only recently the Garda had discovered a highly modern plant that had been installed to accelerate its output. It amazed him how any advocate of temperance could press for the retention of an excessive taxation to exterminate a legitimate industry, only to have it superseded by an illicit trade that is creating a moral wrong and was a menace to the whole community.

The brewing industry was dying out because of taxation. Within the last decade nine firms had had to close down. Messrs Arthur Guinness and Co. was not a purely Irish concern, and it was possible that in a few years time it might be decided as a matter of expediency to transfer the whole business to England.

Producing figures to prove that excessive taxation had resulted in a decrease in revenue, Mr. Gill said that since 1924 revenue from beer and spirits had fallen by about three million pounds. In 1923-24 the revenue from beer duties was £5,808,397, but in 1935 that had fallen to £2,667,928. In 1932 revenue from spirits was £2,061,929, which in 1935 fell to £1,673,549.

Mr. P. J. Kelly seconded, and the resolution was adopted.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY

Senator Kennedy proposed a resolution demanding the repeal of the Intoxicating Liquor Act (1927) as regards the endorsement of licences and the position of club licences. The resolution also asked for the removal of all restrictions on St. Patrick's Day; the opening of all public-houses from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m.; special facilities for boroughs for particular occasions on Sundays; the abolition of wine licences to chemists; the abolition of the afternoon closing hour in Cork, Limerick, and Waterford; and for legislation making it more difficult to obtain hotel licences.

Mr. Michael Cole seconded, and the resolution was passed.

Proposing, "That the Organisation is worthy of the support of every Member of the Trade," Mr. John J. Higgins said that while the state of the organisation was fairly satisfactory, they regretted that there were some traders who failed to realise the necessity for supporting it.

Mr. Patrick Conway seconded the resolution, which was adopted

ECHOES OF THE TOWN

Dinner to President de Valera : Irish Harpist's Success : Pictures by Easy Payment : Mrs. George Atkinson's Linen Pictures

BY KITTY CLIVE

The dinner party given by the United States Minister and Mrs. Alvin Owsley in honour of President and Mrs. de Valera at the Legation the other night was the first official function since the arrival of Mr. Owsley in Dublin. This dinner was to have taken place some time ago, but had to be postponed because of the President's numerous engagements, his absence at Geneva, and the fact that the painters and decorators have lately occupied the Legation. Mrs. Owsley had the interior of the building decorated in accordance with her own ideas, and the rooms looked gay and inviting the other night when her guests assembled, the diningroom and its appointments being notably attractive.

MRS. ALVIN OWSLEY

Executive Council Present

Mrs. Owsley wore a lovely white dress of wind-swept satin, with a red velvet coat, when she received her twenty-four guests, among whom were included the members of the Executive Council and their wives, and her husband presented a military figure as he entertained the visitors in the drawingroom before dinner. Mrs. de Valera was wearing a handsome high-necked dress of green poplin, with large, full sleeves. A pretty brown chiffon dress, with a green velvet coat, was worn by Mrs. Orr Denby, the wife of the Legation Secretary. Mrs. Owsley was afterwards congratulated on having given one of the most enjoyable dinners held in Dublin for some time.

Mrs. de Valera as Dramatist

Mrs. de Valera has just dramatised a popular Irish legend for the Gaelic Dramatic Society. The story of Bottle Hill lends itself to an amusing play. Most Irish children are familiar with the thriftless farmer, Dan McCarthy, whose wife sadly sent him one day to sell their last cow at the Fair. On the way he had to pass by a hill which was known to be in possession of the Good People. On the mountain road he was suddenly accosted by a little man with a face like a dried-up lemon and eyes that fluttered about in his head like butterflies. The fairy stopped and asked him his mission. Dan told his tale of misfortune. "Give me your cow, Dan," he said, "and take this bottle instead." Dan looked aghast; but the fairy was insistent. "When you return home," he added, "place this bottle on the table and do as I say."

MRS. DE VALERA.

"Bottle, Do Your Duty"

When Dan returned his poor wife was justly indignant, and it took him some time to pacify her. He placed the bottle on the kitchen table, and cried: "Bottle, Do Your Duty." At the challenge out from the bottle jumped two fairies, who proceeded to place gold and silver dishes on the board, and the finest fare imaginable. So Dan and his family sat down to feast and enjoy their good luck.

With the gold and silver Dan later bought a fine farm, and for a time they were all prosperous. But the McCarthys were not an industrious family, and after a few years Dan was on the road again to sell the last cow, hoping to meet the fairy again. Sure enough, as he passed the hill, the little man appeared. "Have you another bottle?" cried Dan with excitment. "I have, indeed," said the fairy. "Here it is," and Dan ran home to be received this time with joyous exclamations by his wife. "Put the bottle on the table quickly," she cried. He did so. When he repeated the formula, out of the glass jumped two big fellows, who beat and slashed around until Dan and his family were sick and sore. They had received their punishment.

Miss Sanchia Pielou

Our young artists are certainly not letting the grass grow under their feet. It is a pleasure always to record the success of young Irish students, and, no doubt, many of her friends in Dublin will be interested to hear that Miss Sanchia Pielou, the young harpist, familiar on Irish concert platforms and at the Feis Ceoil, has just been appointed harpist to the new orchestra established at the Edinburgh B.B.C. Miss Pielou, who is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Pielou, of Sandford road, and only twenty years of age, was recently called for an audition in London by Dr. Adrian Boult, and selected for this important post.

MISS S. PIELOU.

Student Record

Her acceptance of this appointment will necessitate Miss Pielou's relinquishing a scholarship at the Royal College of Music, where she has been studying the harp and voice production for the past three years. She obtained her A.R.C.M. last Easter, and last November she played the Debussy "Dancer" harp solo, to the accompaniment of the Philharmonic Orchestra, under Dr. Malcolm Sargeant, and received a great ovation from her colleagues in the college. Miss Pielou specialised in Gaelic music, which will be to her great advantage at the Scottish studio when she takes up her appointment next week.

Help for Irish Musicians

It is good news, and a happy sign of musical co-operation in Dublin, to see the fine spirit represented in the new Musical Art Society, recently organised under the directorship of Signor Grossi. About thirty instrumentalists, who have been unemployed, are being engaged by the organisation, which will have a full orchestra of 55. This was formerly the Harding Orchestra, and the Society will still have Mrs. Harding as leader. Old and young musicians have suffered through the dismissal of orchestras from our cinemas, and the Musical Art Society hopes to alleviate in some degree the distress caused by this unemployment among the artists. The inaugural concert at the Abbey Lecture Hall last month was crowded, and I hear that the coming event on the 5th of December will have the full choir of male voices from the Christian Brothers' Schools (O'Connell School), under the conductorship of Mrs. Boylan. The new organisation relies on its subscribing members, and is making a wide appeal through its influential committee to the musical public of Dublin. Parents whose children are being at present trained should realise the importance of supporting a movement such as this in Dublin.

Pictures by Instalments

Our modern artists are not, like those of ancient times, waiting for fame to reach them after death. The idea, inaugurated in London, is gaining rapid popularity whereby the best artists permit the purchase of their pictures in return for instalment payments. Sir. Victor Sassoon, who is one of the leading modern art patrons, opening the recent Hiring Exhibition, said that he believed the scheme offers opportunities not only to those who never tasted the pleasure of hanging beautiful works of art on the walls of their own homes, but also to those who possess masterpieces, but have their appreciation of them dulled by seeing them too often. These latter can now hire pictures at a small percentage of their cost, or they buy works by paying a deposit and small monthly instalments. I have the list before me of contemporary British artists who are party to this scheme, and wonder that the idea has not yet been taken up by Irish painters in Dublin.

Monet's First Sale

Attending the many exhibitions held in Dublin this season, and seeing the tiny red stars on so many canvases, I was reminded, on reading the fascinating memoirs of Sacha Guitry, that Monet sold his first picture at the age of 47; and yet, although not embittered, he refused the honour of membership of the French Academy offered to him by his friend Clemenceau. "Too late, my friend," he replied. To-day we see the work of Monet, Augustus John, Epstein, Sickert, Brocklehurst, and the great artists of the French school, such as Forain, Fantin, Latour, and Modigliani Piccasso, included in the list of those which may be purchased under the new scheme. It may suggest to some group to hold an exhibition on such lines, and give many the opportunity of securing treasured pictures they have been desirous of buying for some time.

Mrs. George Atkinson

Originality and initiative is represented by the exhibition of linen pictures which Mrs. George Atkinson is showing at present at the United Arts Club. This is the first show of its kind in Dublin, but I am sure Mrs. Atkinson will soon have many imitators. She is showing about thirty pictures, the designs of which are carried out in applique linen. She tells me that she spent a long time in the West of Ireland this year, and made many drawings. These she has presented in varied coloured linens, and the effect is extremely decorative and artistic. She modestly calls her pictures "cushion designs," but those who purchased—and I believe all have readily gone to happy buyers—preferred to use them on their walls in frames, like embroidered work. These pictures are all done on old bleach linen. There are Connemara drawings, turf-gatherers, birds, gardens, and other interesting subjects.

Old Dublin Family

Born in Constantinople, Mrs. Atkinson comes of an old Dublin family. Her grandfather, Mr. J. Kerney, was a well-known Dublin journalist, and her father, Mr. H. P. Kerney, was a civil servant, in charge of the Ottoman Debt Department in Constantinople. She met her husband while on a visit to Dublin during the War, when she was unable to return home, and became a student at the Metropolitan School of Art, of which Mr. Atkinson is headmaster. Her uncle, Mr. L. H. Kerney, is the Irish Minister to Spain. Mrs. Atkinson, who tells me that she is the only member of the large Kerney family now left in Dublin, has two children—a boy and a girl. Her little daughter already displays an inheritance of the artistic talent of her mother.

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IMPORTANCE OF ITS CONTENTS

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Chintz or oil-silk patch-pockets should be glued, or tacked, on the inside of the door of the chest. In these all prescriptions may be kept tidy and safe. The upper part of the pocket should be roomy but held in place tightly with elastic. Treasured remedies, which friends from time to time advise, also should be kept safely. Pasted in a notebook would be an ideal way to secure that they would be procurable if they should ever be required, but this sounds a trifle too perfect for everyday human beings.

Once the chest itself is provided its stock will accumulate of its own accord so quickly, indeed, that the real problem will be to find room for all the various remedies.

ECONOMY

Chemists' stocks are of such a reliable nature that the customer has merely to mention a complaint, and from a glass case, prestissimo, comes a recommended cure. When the stated ill is remedied, what remains of the "cure" should be tidied away into the medicine chest and left ready for another sufferer. Here lies true economy, provided that the corks or screw tops are pushed well home to prevent the contents evaporating or drying up.

Bandages, lint, cotton-wool, cough cures, iodine, antiseptic cream, and some brandy make a very good starting stock. There are those who say "What about a thermometer?" The "taking" of temperatures can safely be left to doctors and nurses.

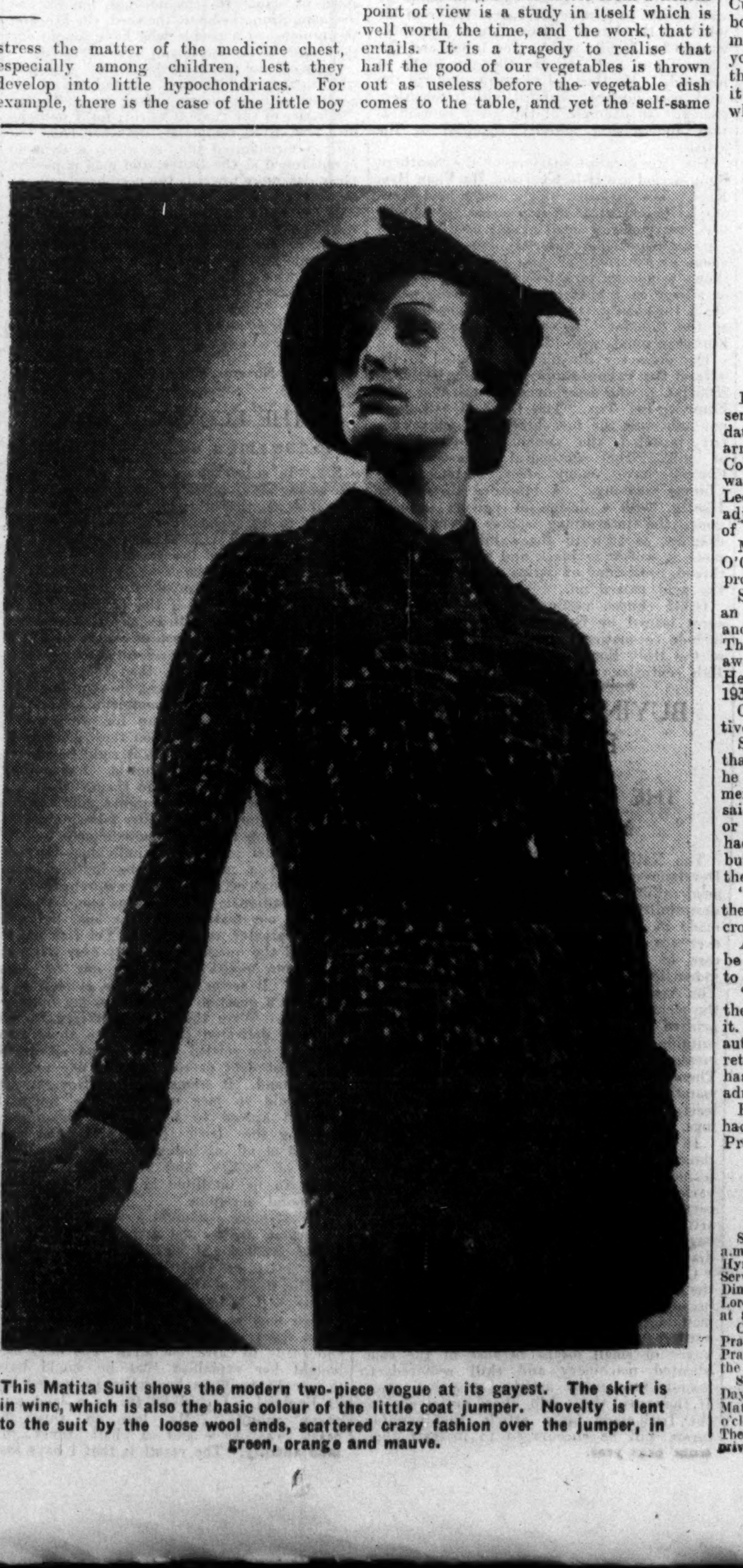
The "snake-in-the-grass" of the medicine chest is found in those bottles which casually announce themselves as "Poison—not to be taken." The very greatest care should be taken to devise a special home label to bang on to these bottles the minute they come into the house, or at least before they are included in the stock of the chest. Even the most hardened nurses will agree that it is pitifully easy to mistake such bottles for those containing ordinary physic.

HOME LABEL

Here is one example of a definite home label:—Get a bottle of glass paint in the brightest possible red. Children in the house will just love to paint the bottle all over, except on the label, and as the result of their labour, even the little ones will for ever recognise the red danger signal in the medicine chest. They will realise that liquid from red painted bottles must be used only externally.

Apart from this caution as regards the use of poison, it would be wiser not to stress the matter of the medicine chest, especially among children, lest they develop into little hypochondriacs. For example, there is the case of the little boy who rushed off to put eucalyptus on his handkerchief because his small sister had a cold!

Many ills can be averted if the caterer to the family forestalls them in her selection of the daily menu, especially in the matter of fruit and vegetables. The correct cooking of the latter from a health point of view is a study in itself which is well worth the time, and the work, that it entails. It is a tragedy to realise that half the good of our vegetables is thrown out as useless before the vegetable dish comes to the table, and yet the self-same cook will spend half-crowns galore on blood purifiers.


This Matita Suit shows the modern two-piece vogue at its gayest. The skirt is in wine, which is also the basic colour of the little coat jumper. Novelty is lent to the suit by the loose wool ends, scattered crazy fashion over the jumper, in green, orange and mauve.

COURSES

Apart from correct catering and proper furnishing of the medicine chest, every woman who has it in her mind that she will be responsible for the well-being of her family and household will be well advised to take at least one course of first aid and home nursing. This is especially useful where no natural bent for nursing exists.

The fees for these courses are very low. Full particulars can be obtained from the St. John's Ambulance Brigade in Strand street. It is probably too late to take first aid courses this year, but the home nursing classes start early in the New Year, and as well as being most interesting, they are worth their weight in gold to those women who are ambitious about the good health of their children and all those under their care.

MARY BARRY.

A LONDON PARTY

Lady Muriel Beckwith was the guest of honour at Sir William Crawford's party in the Savoy Hotel, London, for Birds Custard. Lady Muriel is shortly publishing a cookery book, which looks like becoming the modern "Mrs. Beeton." It is to contain recipes she has collected from her friends in the social world, not only in London, but in America and Canada; and many special recipes given her on her marriage by Rousseau, the old French chef, who presided at the Richmond's Sussex seat, Goodwood.

"King George of Greece came to lunch with me recently," said Lady Muriel to our representative, "so I thought I couldn't do better than give him my own favourite pudding. It's called Birds Rice Cream Custard. He was delighted with it. Let me give you the recipe—just as I got my cook to make it for him:—

"Boil 2 ozs. of rice in salted water, drain and put on one side. Take half-a-pint of milk, mix a pint packet of Birds Custard according to the directions; then boil the remainder of your half-pint of milk, adding a walnut of butter, and make your custard. Whip it thoroughly into the rice. Allow to get cold, and then pile it into glasses; serve with jam and whipped cream on top."

POSSESSION OF RIFLE

SENTENCED TO YEAR IN JAIL

Daniel Breen, Mullacrew, Co. Louth, was sentenced to twelve months' imprisonment, to date from November 13th, the time of his arrest, by the Military Tribunal, sitting at Collins Barracks, yesterday. The defendant was found guilty of illegal possession of a Lee Enfield rifle. The prosecution had been adjourned on Monday last for the attendance of material witnesses.

Mr. Kevin Haugh (instructed by Mr. J. S. O'Connor, solicitor to the Attorney-General), prosecuted.

Sergeant E. Sullivan, Louth, stated that an entrance had to be forced into the room, and Detective-Officer Kavanagh found a rifle. They looked for Breen and saw him running away and being pursued by another Guard. He was not located until 13th November, 1935.

Corroborative evidence was given by Detective-Officer E. Kavanagh.

Superintendent T. S. MacDonagh stated that when he interrogated the accused man he answered willingly and freely. He denied membership of an unlawful association, but said that he belonged to the I.R.A. for eight or nine months. He also admitted having had some rounds of ammunition for the rifle, but had used them. He said he had found the rifle in a ditch near Conlon's house.

"As a Republican I refuse to plead," said the accused when asked if he wished to cross-examine the witness.

Asked by the President if he wished to be sworn himself or if he had any witnesses to call, the accused man said:

"That Lee Enfield rifle is the property of the I.R.A., to whom I should have returned it. They are the only people who have authority over it. I was suspended for not returning it, and now, when my sentence has been served I am applying for re-admission."

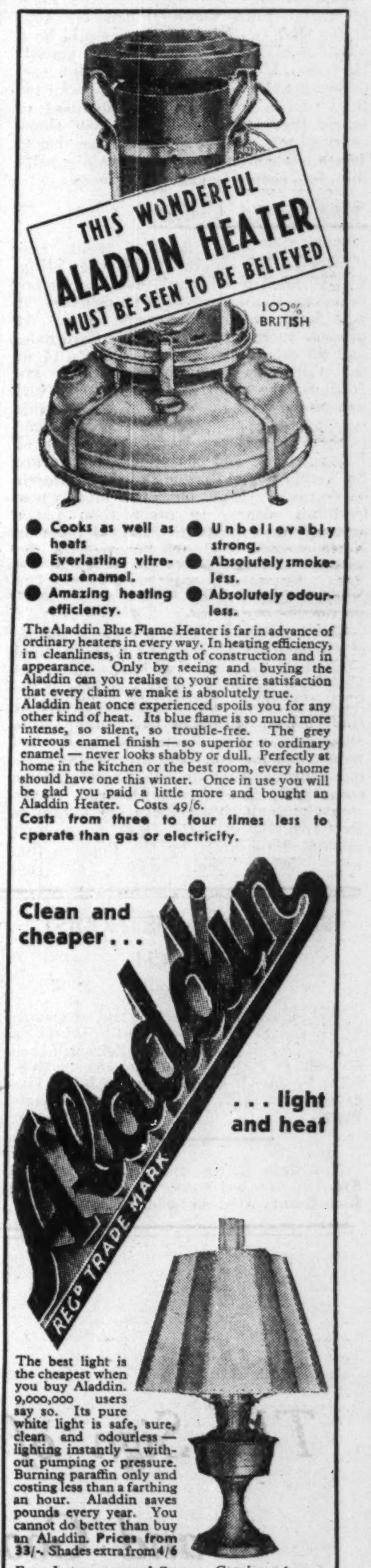
Remarking that what the accused had said had nothing to do with the charge, the President passed sentence.

CHURCH SERVICES

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL. — Matins at 10 a.m. Psalm, 141. Urbs Fortitudinis, 20. Litany. Hymn, 285. Evensong at 4 o'clock. Unaccompanied Service. Psalms, 142, 143. Magnificat, Nunc Dimittis, Selby in A flat. Anthem, "Rejoice in the Lord," Redford. Intercession for Foreign Missions at 8 p.m.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL. — Morning Prayer at 10.45 o'clock. Jubilate. Litany. Evening Prayer at 3 o'clock. King in F. Anthem, "From the rising of the sun," Ouseley.

ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S CHURCH, Clyde road.—Day of Intercession. Holy Communion at 8 a.m. Matins at 10.30 a.m. Prayer and address at 11 o'clock. Evensong (boys' voices) at 5.30 o'clock. The church will be open all day until 7 p.m. for private intercession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UNEXPECTED MATERIALS

Mid-season dress shows abound in unexpected materials. One afternoon ensemble consists of a three-quarter length coat and dresscoat and dress called "Cafard" and is made entirely from half-inch wide black ciré braid sewn in horizontal stripes on a silk foundation. A dress for cruise-fans "Deck Tennis" is made from silk raffia, loosely crocheted to resemble a fisherman's net. White kid is the key-note of "Mon petit" a black velvet dinner dress. The kid formed a childish collar and a belt composed of flowers.

London dress designers have discovered a new way of introducing the second colour that is so popular for evening wear this season. They are using it to line the train and small shoulder-cape that most gowns boast.

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IRISHMAN'S DIARY

Caller Herring : Newmarket Sales : New Cardinals : The Jameson Raid : Winding Watches

The Mondelihy Mares

Already I hear of several foreign buyers interested in bloodstock breeding who intend to be present at Newmarket next week in the hope of securing some of those nice mares from the late Mr. Peter Fitzgerald's establishment. They are all well-bred mares; some are the dams of winners, as well as having a distinguished record of their own on the Turf, while they are all covered by high-class sires, some of whom are classic winners. For instance, there is Haughtiest, with great classic blood in her pedigree. This young mare is covered by Manna. Silver Cloud, a Manna mare, out of Silver Urn, is covered by Solario. This eight-year-old matron won the Chesterfield Stakes at Newmarket. Her yearling colt by Winalot fetched 1,100 guineas at Doncaster this year.

Simnel, a three-year-old filly, is one of the choicest lots, it seems to me, in the Mondelihy draught. Simnel is by Blandford, and her dam is Nicest, who has bred winners, and who comes from a distinguished line herself. Simnel won the Kyle Plate at Ayr and the Harforth Nursery Handicap at Catterick. Styria, a Lemberg mare, out of Fifine by Sunstar, out of Fifinella, goes under the hammer, covered by Bosworth, and sounds a very nice proposition. Styria is the dam of Wantalot and the Newbury Autumn Foal Plate winner, Royal Flush.

Among the foals is a colt by Winalot from Teesdale, and another colt foal is by Manna out of Brindabella, a Gainsborough mare, who will also be put up.

The Humble Herring

A correspondent writes:—A southern fisherman recently told me that the present low price paid for herrings does not give the men very much encouragement. It appears that they only receive 2s. for a large box of fresh fish. I told him that I was anxious to purchase a few herrings to bring back to Dublin. He gave me two dozen, and it was with the greatest difficulty that I could make him accept a shilling. "It's far too much altogether, sir," he said.

That evening the waiter at the little provincial town where I had tea suggested that two fried herrings would be a great treat for a city man. I agreed. However, I received an unpleasant surprise when I was charged half-a-crown for this "treat." I was also surprised to notice that in many Dublin fish shops herrings are retailed at 1s. 6d. per dozen. The humble herring is undoubtedly helping some people to make ends meet.

The Sacred College

With the appointment of twenty new Cardinals next month, the Sacred College will be more nearly full than ever before in recent times; for, with 69 members, it will have only one vacant chair. At present there are 24 Italian Cardinals, and 25 other nationalities. Since 14 of the Cardinals now to be created are Italians, the usual Italian majority will be restored. Of the non-Italian Cardinals now to be created, two are French, one is Spanish, another is the Archbishop of Buenos Aires, and the remaining two are the Archbishop of Prague and the Patriarch of Antioch. Thus, only two of the new Cardinals belong to other than Latin nationalities; no Englishman, German or North American churchman receives the red hat.

Secret Cardinals

These tidings (a friend writes) dispose of the rumour that a second Irish Cardinal would be appointed. Two Irish Churchmen have been named as likely members of the Sacred College; but the honour will be conferred on neither for the present. More surprising is the absence of an English name from the list. Britain remains without representation in the Sacred College since the death of Cardinal Bourne. Of the new Cardinals two already are known to be Cardinals *in petto;* that is, prelates appointed privately by the Pope to that office, while their names are not announced, but concealed *in pectore*, or the Pope's mind. Such unannounced elections are common, when the prelates concerned are involved in delicate political situations. The present Cardinals *in petto* are Archbishop Tedeschini, Nuncio at Madrid since 1921, and Monsignor Salotti, Secretary of Propaganda. Now that they are to be given the red hat they will assume seniority in the Sacred College from the date of their private selection. The reason for Archbishop Tedeschini's election *in petto*, during the recent Spanish crisis, is evident; the announcement of his cardinalship is a sign, perhaps, that the Vatican considers its difficulties in Spain at an end.

"Luke Fourteen, Thirty-One"

A verse from St. Luke may be said to have played a critical part in the events which led to the formation of Southern Rhodesia. When the South African Company settled in Mashonaland Dr. Jameson, better known as "Dr. Jim," after he was appointed administrator, set himself to establish some sort of civilisation in the new colony. But the Matabele, a neighbouring warlike people, caused trouble, as they made periodical raids upon the natives, plundering and slaying them. To put a stop to this, Jameson said that a recourse to arms was inevitable. His forces, however, being slender, he consulted Cecil Rhodes, who replied by telegram: "Read Luke fourteen, thirty-one." Jameson obtained a Bible, and read the words: "Or what king, going to make war against another king, sitteth not down first and consulteth whether he be able with ten thousand to meet him that cometh against him with twenty thousand?" He wired back in reply, "All right. I have read Luke fourteen, thirty-one." Though his position was a dangerous one, he resolved to risk an expedition. He marched upon Buluwayo, the capital of the enemy, with a force of less than 700 white men, with the result that Lobengula, the native chieftain, was routed in two pitched battles. The Matabele, whose sole occupation had been war, after this conquest of their country in 1893, became in time peaceful herdsmen and agriculturists.

The Jameson Raid

It is believed that Jameson's success in the expedition he organised against the Matabele influenced him at a subsequent crisis with disastrous results, when he invaded the Transvaal with a force of 600 men to support a projected rising of the Uitlanders in Johannesburg. The invading force encountered the Boers on the 1st of January, 1896, who overwhelmed them, compelling them to surrender, exhausted with a twenty-four hours' fast and with all their ammunition spent. Jameson was handed over to the British authorities by President Kruger and sent to England for trial, where, in the following July, he was sentenced to fifteen months' imprisonment, but was released in December because of his ill-health. He later returned to South Africa and recovered from his catastrophic fall, filling the position of Premier of Cape Colony from 1904 to 1908. Sir Leander Starr Jameson retired from South African politics in 1912, and passed the remaining five years of his life in England.

Winding Watches

To wind one's watch regularly every night before retiring has ever been considered the action of a well-regulated mind, but apparently this, like so many other time-honoured ideas of one's youth, has been cast aside in the cold light of science. Watchmakers have been known to affirm that the spring of a watch, which is very sensitive to a sudden change of temperature, cannot always stand the strain of being tightly wound when its wearer has discarded it for the night, particularly during a spell of frosty weather. But such is the force of habit that a considerable amount of will power must needs be exercised in order to adjust one's mind to the performing of this simple rite at daybreak instead of at sunset.

QUIDNUNC.

BLACKROCK METHODIST CHURCH

The annual sale of work in aid of Church Funds and Foreign Missions will be held to-day in the Schoolroom. Mrs. Rohu will open the sale at 3 o'clock, and the chair will be taken by Joseph Ingram, Esq., O.B.E. Teas and suppers will be provided at moderate prices.

Miss Jean Batten, the New Zealand girl flyer, is expected to arrive at Montevideo from Buenos Aires on Sunday morning.

MASONIC FEMALE ORPHAN SCHOOL

The half-yearly meeting of the Governors of the Masonic Female Orphan School will be held on Tuesday next at the Schoolhouse, Ballsbridge, at 9 o'clock, when the report of the scrutineers of the ballot for the election of six pupils will be read and the names of the successful candidates declared. Breakfast will be served at 8.30 o'clock.

Five persons were injured in a boiler-room accident in the French battleship Paris yesterday.

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EXHIBITION IN LONDON

IMPERIAL AND OTHER TREASURES

From Our Correspondent.
LONDON, Thursday.

THE International Exhibition of Chinese Art, which opened yesterday, will be held in the Royal Academy until March 7, 1936, and is the first comprehensive collection of the arts of China to be seen in Europe. The nucleus of the exhibition is the large and precious selection of Imperial treasures from the Forbidden City, lent by the Chinese Government, and brought over to England on H.M.S. Suffolk.

The exhibition comprises nearly 4,000 objects representing the glory of Chinese artistry over a period of 35 centuries—masterpieces of jade, pottery and porcelain; paintings, calligraphy, bronzes, textiles and lacquer. Many of imperial quality made for palace use bear the commemorative inscriptions of the Emperor.

The exhibition begins with the ritual bronzes of the Shang-Yin and Chou dynasties. The bronzes shown are not primitive in design or execution—both technique and design are so skilful that they indicate a long antecedent period of artistic development. They have been rescued from age-long burial in the soil of China. Some fragments of early carpets were discovered by Sir Aurel Stein in his Central Asian expedition. Contact with nomad tribes on the western frontiers brought the Chinese into touch with Persia. By the eighteenth century large quantities of carpets were produced, and there are fine examples on the walls of the galleries.

The Chinese do not claim to have invented enamel, they call it "foreign ware." Tradition dates its origin to the Yuan dynasty (1260-1367 A.D.). The small number of early pieces in existence do not seem to date, however, earlier than the fifteenth century. The great period of production was during the Ming dynasty (1368-1643). The specimens shown are of unusual size, including tables, ice chests and ornaments.

THE EMBROIDERIES

The earliest embroideries in the exhibition are fragments from T'ang times found in Sir Aurel Stein's excavations in Chinese Turkestan. Most Chinese embroideries in European collections date from the eighteenth century. Among the exhibits are a number of Imperial robes worn by the Emperors of the past, and these contain marvellous stitchery.

Recent excavations in China, near Loyang, prove definitely that the manufacture of glass existed there at least as early as the third century B.C. Objects have been found in tombs at Chin-Ts'un, Honan Province, and elsewhere of clear glass, and others of opaque glass paste, which seem to have been substitutes for jade.

Extreme dexterity is shown in the astonishing feat of painting enamelled snuff-boxes and other vessels having very small mouths with designs on the interiors. This is done with the little finger-nail, which is grown to a length of 1½ inches, and a fine brush attached to the end. Two cases of these tiny vessels have been sent from Pekin.

Lacquer is one of the oldest arts in China—the lacquer tree is indigenous to China. It is tapped at the age of ten years and the sap refined by straining through a hemp cloth, being then heated and stored in airtight vessels. Lacquer is divided into two types—one with painted decoration, the second having carved decoration, and there are numerous examples of both. A red lacquer jewel casket in the form of a ship is a notable example of the carved variety. One of the oldest-dated specimens of painted lacquer is a small bowl found by Koslov Expedition at Lake Baikal in Eastern Siberia—on the grave of a Syrian chieftain on the trade route from China. This was dated A.D. 2.

Painting and writing are two branches of the same art; the Chinese use the brush for both. Few fully-authenticated T'ang paintings exist other than the Buddhistic paintings found by Sir Aurel Stein in the Treasure Cave of the Thousand Buddhas at Tun-Huang in Chinese Turkestan. Could all the lost works of the T'ang period (A.D. 618-906) be restored to us, we might say that this was one of the greatest periods of art the world has known.

GREAT PAINTERS

The fragments of a T'ang picture, "Listening to Music," are in the exhibition. They were recovered by Sir Aurel Stein at Astana, and are precious relics of early T'ang art.

The Emperor Hui Tsung is represented by several examples in the exhibition, including a lovely horizontal scroll of ducks, cranes and other birds amongst reeds and grasses. One of the greatest landscape painters of Northern Sung, Kuo Hsi, is also represented. His son records that when he sat down to paint he was careful to remove all distraction from his mind. He burnt incense right and left, washed his hands, took a fine brush and the choicest ink, and "let the thoughts settle in his soul." He then set to work, and till the work was finished "battled with a relentless enemy," an example of the great concentration and mental activity required of the artist.

The two greatest masters of the Southern Sung period are Hsia Kuei and Ma Yuan Hsia Kuei. The majority of the finest landscapes of the period give an impression of solitariness, yet in many small figures may be found—poets admiring a waterfall, sages under the moon, or fishermen in their boats. Ma Yuan shows wonderful pine trees, drooping willows or a sage in a boat on a lake. Sung painting is the antithesis of the pretty, the fanciful or the "quaint," so long associated in European minds with Chinese art.

The discovery of silk is attributed to the wife of the Yellow Emperor, Huang Ti (2704-2595 B.C.), who determined the calendar. The Empress Lei Tsu "The Lady of Si-Lung," not only was the first breeder of silkworms, but invented the spinning and weaving of silk. The Cathedral treasuries of Europe have many fine vestments of Chinese weaving. A brocaded tissue from Danzig, with a design of parrots in octagons, the intervening spaces occupied by dragons, is seen in the exhibition. This piece is woven in black and gold, the metal thread consisting of strips of leather, with the gold pasted on.

Other church vestments and textile treasures loaned by Germany to the exhibition include coronation robes worn by Emperors of the Holy Roman Empire of the 14th and 15th centuries.

BUYING CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

THE CLAIMS OF IRISH MANUFACTURE

The National Agricultural and Industrial Development Association has issued a statement calling the attention of the public to the desirability of buying Christmas presents made in Ireland. More Irish articles than ever are in evidence in the shops. In the case of clothing, confectionery and allied industries, choice is now severely limited. The Association, however, draws attention to the plentiful selection of books published and printed in Ireland which would make very suitable presents, and, also, there is a far greater variety of Christmas cards this year. There are now three or four Irish companies manufacturing soft and wooden toys, and, at least, five firms manufacture Christmas stockings.

In perfumery and cosmetics there is still a choice between the foreign products and what is now, for the first time, a very plentiful variety of Irish powders, creams, lotions and perfumes. There are also many miscellaneous articles suitable for presents, such as leather bags for ladies, haberdashery, calendars and diaries.

Christmas presents of a fancy variety for the buyer with money are hard to produce because of the technical skill required to manufacture a good article, and it is still harder for the manufacturer to satisfy the buyer of small means because of the complicated machinery and skill required to manufacture fancy articles at a low price. If, however, the public show preference for the Irish-made fancy article, the manufacturers will be encouraged to increase their scope next year.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

"EDUCATION THROUGH IRISH?"

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES

Sir,—Mr. Horgan is to be congratulated on affording us the refreshing novelty of someone actually proposing the exercise of commonsense in the conduct of our public affairs. It is, however, a sad commentary on our standard of political intelligence that he should find himself confronted by a situation of such manifest absurdity, and one which has, moreover, been endured for some considerable time with such sheep-like patience. Nowhere outside the pages of "Alice in Wonderland" would one expect to find the paradoxical situation in which a Department of Education spends large sums of public money in ensuring the illiteracy of the children exposed to its bureaucratic whims and fancies. Yet that is precisely the spectacle that has been presented to us in this country in recent years.

It is easier to make points against this fantastic situation than to suggest a remedy. Mr. Horgan recommends protest on the part of the parents, but it is difficult to see how such protests could be co-ordinated. Furthermore, as he points out, political action seems useless. A political system that awards the spoils of office to those who can gull the greatest number of people creates a political vested interest in the ignorance of those people. The illiterate are so much easier to fool. Until our political life affords a picture of honest endeavour to better our country rather than that of a mere scramble for power, the road to reform by political means is barred.

As it is arguable that the present state of affairs is unconstitutional there ought to be a remedy in the courts, if someone or some organisation could be found to fight the case. And this brings me to the root of the whole matter.

The schools' position is merely another example of the unwarrantable way in which the rights and liberties of the individual have been destroyed by the State in the past eight or ten years. The attempt to coerce the Press by pressure from the Government Information Bureau is another case in point. It seems to me that there is urgent need in this country for a non-party, non-political organisation that will guard the essential rights of our citizens, much as the Automobile Association looks after the interests of motorists. A powerful body of this kind could fight issues of constitutional importance to the individual in the courts, and could create a lively public opinion on such matters. It could not fail to, at least, gravely hamper the unconstitutional and illegal activities of Government Departments, or of the Dail and Senate themselves.

If something is not done we shall soon find ourselves the servants of a dictatorship masquerading as a democracy. And, as our experience of Irish in the schools shows, it will be comic and fantastic tyranny. A bitter fate for an intelligent people.—Yours, etc.,

F. L. Jacob.

Gleneden, Cross Douglas road, Cork,
November 27th, 1935.

"THE MYTH OF THE TWENTIETH CENTURY"

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—I write to correct a few errors and misconceptions which have crept into the correspondence in the *Irish Times*. To correct them I state a few propositions:—

1. Ireland and England.
   (a) To love Ireland is not to hate England.
   (b) To defend Irish culture is not to destroy English culture.
   (c) Recognition of Irish culture is not incompatible with the ending of the Irish-English conflict now approaching its eight hundredth year.

2. Patriotism, the love of the motherland, is a virtue; has inspired some of the greatest things in life—noble poetry, music and art. Patriotism differs from the religion of race—the Aryanism of Hitler, the racial Fascism of Mussolini, the Anglo-Saxon myth.

3. To honour Ireland is not to betray Europe and humanity. Honouring Ireland we honour a small people, who fought for a thousand years and never once desired a physical conquest over any other people; never imposed their philosophies or political systems at the point of the bayonet. Their only victories were the bloodless conquests of the mind. Honouring Ireland we honour a little land which proved that a people who have the will to live need never die.

4. That Irish culture will outlast English culture. We know the Irish yoeman—the most unbending and indomitable heart in Europe. We know how he has been lampooned in ten thousand State papers, comedies, plays, memoirs and stories. We know him as he stands to-day—battered and scarred, grimed with the smoke and dust of a thousand years of campaigning. He has nothing—little commerce, his spacious harbours athwart the trade routes of the world peopled with cormorants and curraghs; not a symphony, a Madonna, an opera, an oratoro, a missa, a quartet, scarce of bronze, a fresco, or a frieze. All these he could have had. Half-a-dozen times he could have embraced the conquerors and philosophies that conquered his conqueror, but he preferred to fight and to be a witness to the immortal spirit of man. He has nothing, but he has the inspiration, the hope, the seed, the fire, and the promise of a people who have fought for the things of the spirit and have survived.

Opposed, the forces are fantastic. A people who, in their golden days, created one of the greatest cultures known among men. To-day the leader of the modern world; forty millions in a few cities, completely detached from the soil; a mechanised life, in which a dynamo is enthroned at the centre, and man is pushed every day more towards the periphery—an ant on an escalator, a beetle on a strap in a 'bus; a fly massacred in thousands by machines that run amok. It is all very impressive. No doubt we are expected to look with amused contempt at Pat and gaze in wonder at the express which has left the rails and is charging with ever-increasing steam towards the precipice. Never mind. Pat stands for great things. He is stability. He is tradition. He is Europe.—Yours, etc.,

James Devane.

Dublin, November 28th, 1935.

THE ECONOMIC WAR

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

Sir,—In a leading article in your issue of November 26th, entitled "A Costly 'War,'" you refer to the growing indifference of the country to its ruinous effects. The Free State "is accepting it (the economic war) almost as a normal part of her existence." A more serious aspect of the case is the religious and moral principles involved. If the British Government is right—if the payment of the land annuities to the British Government for value received in the form of money advanced to the Irish tenant farmers to purchase their holdings is a just debt, then the action of the Free State Government in retaining the money amounts to a fraudulent conversion of trust funds to purposes for which they were never intended. If, on the other hand, the Free State Government is right in affirming that the British Government "has neither a legal nor a moral right to them," then the British Government is guilty of having already obtained money under false pretences, and of trying to obtain more money by the same method. How any individual—to say nothing of a nation—can be indifferent to such alternatives passes my comprehension.

The question is a momentous one, affecting not only our material gain or loss, but our moral character as a nation. Yet this moral aspect of the question is hardly ever referred to by our politicians or by our religious teachers. It seems to me to be as clear and simple as a question of a debt to my butcher or baker. Were the goods delivered to me and who delivered them? Once these two questions are settled, I am bound either to pay a just debt or to refuse to pay an unjust demand. It seems as if our Government was afraid to face not only the Imperial Tribunal agreed to by all the Dominions, including the Irish Free State, but any tribunal at all, excluding even its own High Court of Justice, and the tribunal which claims to be infallible in deciding religious and moral questions

The farming community are sinking into listlessness, apathy and despair. What is the use of producing things which will be sold under cost price? Before the tariff war, which was the result of the refusal to pay the land annuities, I bought a fine heifer calf, about sixteen months old, for £7 10s. I sold her as an exceptionally fine cow, a good milker, and ready to calve, for £11. The man who bought her explained that he would have to pay £6 tariff on her when he landed her in England. I paid £2 8s. as a land purchase annuity. My loss on this one beast was two and a half times my land annuity. The result is that I have lost all interest in my farm as a thing to make any money out of. If anyone got a bounty on my cow it certainly was not I, and what would be the use of a pound or two bounty to me when, as a taxpayer, I have to pay for bounties to all my neighbours? Talk of unemployment! A farmer now only pays for labour when he cannot help it. Many who have to keep a labouring man tell me that it takes nearly all they can make out of the farm to pay his wages.

One now often hears expressed a longing for the pre-Treaty *régime*, when there were no ruinous tariffs, and when people were allowed to go about their business in their own way, and were not worried to death by new laws and regulations and taxes every day. Under the old *régime* those who wished to learn Irish could learn it to their hearts content, and the Government was beginning to encourage it in the schools. But now our children are being forced to become Gaelic speakers against the wishes of their parents; while the attempt to teach English-speaking children through the medium of Irish can only result in fuddling their poor little brains and teaching them nothing properly. We hear it said that Ireland is not free and independent. The freedom we have got is the freedom of the party in power to force its narrow and fanatical ideas upon the whole country. No wonder that so many are being taught to look back with regret to the liberty which they enjoyed under the Government of the United Kingdom, when trade was free, and prices were regulated by the natural principle of demand and supply, and when the best market in the world was free and open to them.—Yours, etc.,

Dudley Fletcher.

St. Laserian's, Old Leighlin,
November 27th, 1935.

THE SLUMP IN IDEALISM

AMERICAN POST-WAR CYNICISM

LECTURE BY PROFESSOR MIMS

POST-WAR cynicism, satire and pessimism in America, both in literature and out of it, was the subject of the seventh lecture given by Professor Edwin Mims, Carnegie Visiting Professor to the British Universities, which was given yesterday at Trinity College, Dublin. The title of the lecture, which was delivered in the Graduates' Memorial Building, was "The Slump in Idealism."

National unity and idealism, said Professor Mims, never ran at such a high tide in America as during the World War, but the reaction towards normalcy had been even more evident. The average man wanted to be done with it all, while the intellectuals and artists found abundant material for satire and cynicism. Material prosperity satisfied the multitude; mass production and high wages secured the solution of all economic problems, and men envisaged the end of poverty. The era of wild speculation and artificial prosperity ended inevitably in the crash of 1929. Since then the period of depression had accentuated the revolt against many things long held sacred by Americans.

A REVALUATION

The capitalistic system, education, religion, moral standards and values had all been subjected to a criticism that contrasted with the boastfulness and sentimentalism so long characteristic of Americans. Poets, novelists, biographers, essayists had revolted against conventions and forms of all kinds. American literature had been reconsidered and many idols smashed. The contrast between the New England group of poets in the mid years of the nineteenth century and the poets of the contemporary period, in substance and in form, was indicative of profound changes in living and thinking. Not less impressive was the contrast between novelists like Hawthorne or Cooper and Dreisler or Sinclair Lewis. H. L. Mencken for ten years was the iconoclastic critic of every phase of American life. Foreigners had not been more severely critical than native sons.

Every region of the country had been subjected to critical analysis and artistic representation. The Puritanism of the older New England, combined with material prosperity of the later era, had been like a red flag to the younger writers. The sense of repression and futility was in the forms of Robinson and Frost, and in the dramas of O'Neill. The South, once thought to be the home of romantic gentlemen and gentlewomen, the land of colonial mansions and magnolia gardens, was presented in all the drabness, dulness and, even barbarism, of recent novelists and playwrights.

The West, associated with the romance and adventure of a pioneer period, was the shining example of mediocrity, standardisation, and emptiness of mind and heart. Sinclair Lewis, Edgar Lee Masters and many other writers had revealed, now with biting and rollicking satire, now with bitter irony, types of frustrated and futile lives.

MERE PESSIMISM

There was value in all that social criticism; it had tended to wake people up to the limitations of American life. A more serious phase of contemporary literature was that it was so often rooted on a pessimism that sprung from the science and philosophy of determinism. The "Education" of Henry Adams had an enormous influence, emphasising, as it did, the chaos of modern thought. The novels of Dreisler and the plays of Eugene O'Neill furnished fresh examples of tragedy—tragedy that often lacked the ampler ether of the Greek and Elizabethan dramas. All that, in such striking contrast with the optimism and faith that characterised earlier periods, had led to a lack of vitality in an age of depression.

How some of the best thinkers and artists had withstood those tendencies and laid the basis for a sounder faith and a greater art would be the basis of another lecture—the last in the series—to be given this afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Graduates' Memorial Building.

KILKENNY CASTLE AUCTION SALE

CONCLUDING DAY

Yesterday, the concluding day of the auction conducted by Messrs. Battersby and Co. at Kilkenny Castle, the 500 lots disposed of consisted mostly of garden and outdoor effects, including farm carts, harness, etc., and keen interest was maintained until the final fall of the hammer. Thus came to a close one of the largest auctions that have been held in the country for many years.

At the close of the sale yesterday a vote of thanks to Messrs. Battersby and Co. for the efficient and courteous manner in which they had conducted the auction was proposed by Mr. G. A. Davis, estate agent to the Earl of Ossory.

Mr. Judd, principal of Messrs. Battersby and Co., in reply, said: I desire to thank Mr. Davis for what he has been so good as to say in proposing a vote of thanks. I should like, indeed, to flatter myself that Battersby and Co. deserved such kindly mention. I feel bound to say, however, that a great measure of the success which has attended this auction is due to the people who attended it and to the way in which they have facilitated me in carrying it out. Something is due, too, to the hotel and catering establishments in Kilkenny, which have made life so attractive and pleasant for visitors attending the auction that most of them remained over for longer periods than they had originally intended, and I am glad to notice that some of the early visitors are still here at the last round-up. Nor can I forget to mention the signal help which Battersby and Co. received from the Press representatives who attended the auction and who worked so assiduously to convey the fullest information to their papers. It was particularly interesting to notice at a time like this, when such big events as a general election in Great Britain and a war in Abyssinia claim such a large space in our metropolitan and provincial papers, that the auction at Kilkenny Castle filled such a big space, too. And I ought not to forget the Garda authorities in Kilkenny, of whose courtesy and help I have heard frequent mention by visitors to the auction. My firm are deeply indebted to all those I have mentioned, and to you here for your kindly vote of thanks, and I hope I may have the pleasure of renewing these friendships at many of our future auctions.

ON THE WIRELESS

Daily Programme Review

DUBLIN: "The Meadow Gate" and "The Lighted Window" (Lady Gregory), **8.45**.
NORTHERN IRELAND: Musical Romance, "Moonlight Masquerade," **8.15**.
B.B.C. NATIONAL: Concert of Contemporary Music, No. 2, **10.20**.
REGIONAL: Variety, **8.45**.
WEST: Welsh Choral Concert, **8**.
BUDAPEST: Opera, "The Flying Dutchman" (Wagner), **6.30**.
KALUNDBORG: Concert from Christiansborg Castle Church, **7.10**.

LADY GREGORY'S eclogues, "The Meadow Gate" and "The Lighted Window," will receive a first production to-night, under the direction of Mr. John MacDonagh, Productions Director of the Dublin Broadcasting Station. An eclogue (commonly known as a short poem, especially of pastoral dialogue) from the pen of Lady Gregory is regarded as of high artistic value.

The Dublin Station Orchestra, on both occasions to-night, will be conducted by Signor Grossi and led by Terry O'Connor, with Eileen Gunning, a Dublin singer, who on one occasion was described as the silver-throated Miss Gunning, as soloist. Signor Grossi's choice of music usually tends to the more popular. To-night that tendency is definite. The programme includes "The Bohemian Girl" Overture, Coleridge Taylor's Dream Dance, "Finlandia," of Sibelius, and a Suppé Overture. The vocal items consist of Eily O'Connor's two most popular songs in "The Lily of Killarney," and "Softly Sighs," from "Der Freischutz" (Weber) (Dublin, Athlone and Cork, 7 and 8).

An hour of the Northern Ireland programme to-night will be taken up by the performance of "Moonlight Masquerade," a new musical romance. Written by George Gordon, it is based, in part, on Henry McMullan's play of the same name. Sybil Evers and James Topping head a big cast of Northern broadcasters, who will be supported by the B.B.C. Northern Ireland Chorus and Orchestra, led by Philip Whiteway, under the direction of Peter Montgomery. The producer is Edward Wilkinson.

Victor Hely-Hutchinson, in a broadcast of pianoforte music, is always a favourite among Dublin listeners. To-day he may be heard in two separate performances of the same work—that of Beethoven's Pianoforte Concerto No. 4 in G, Op. 58. Playing with the B.B.C. Midland Orchestra, under the direction of Foster Clark, the first performance will be heard in the afternoon in the Symphony Concert, which commences at 4, with Weber's "Oberon" Overture, followed by the Concerto. At night, commencing at 8 (Midland), the performance of the Concerto only will be repeated.

George Lloyd, the young Cornish composer, who, though only twenty-two years of age, already has three symphonies and an opera, which has attracted considerable attention, to his credit. His first symphony, after receiving its first performance by the Penzance Orchestral Society, was repeated at Bournemouth. The second was performed recently at Eastbourne, and the third (in F) is to be played for the first time to-night in the B.B.C. Concert of Contemporary Music, when the young composer will conduct. Bernard Van Dieren's contribution to the concert is an overture to an imaginary comedy, in which the music portrays the exhilarating atmosphere of a province of France. This work and a concerto for pianoforte and orchestra, by Christian Darnton, will be performed to-night for the first time in England. The concerto was written and scored in thirty-four days at the commission of Adolph Hallis, who will play the solo part on this occasion. The concert, to be given before an audience in the Concert Hall, Broadcasting House, will be under the direction of Warwick Braithwaite.

"Devonshire Cream," by Eden Phillpotts, will be re-played at 8 (National), and Julius Buerger's second "World Tour" of music, produced and conducted by Stanford Robinson, will be presented to-night in the Regional programmes at 7. Variety, starring Flotsam and Jetsam, Claude Hulbert and Enid Trevor, and the inimitable Hutch (Leslie A. Hutchinson), will be on the air at 8.45 (Regional).

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMMES

DUBLIN—223 Metres (1,348 Kc.) (1 Kw.), **ATHLONE — 531 Metres** (565 Kc.) (60 Kw.), and **CORK—242 Metres** (1,240 Kc.) (1 Kw.).

1.30-2.30—Gramophone.
5.30—Children's Hour.
6. 0—Dora Crawford: Christmas Fare No. 1.
6.15—Gramophone.
6.45—News.
7. 0—Station Orchestra and Eileen Gunning (soprano). Conductor, Signor Grossi—Ov., Bohemian Girl (Balfe); Dream Dance Coleridge Taylor). Eileen Gunning—In my Wild Mountain Valley, I'm Alone, from "Lily of Killarney" (Benedict).
7.30—M. J. MacManus: Book Review.
7.45—News in Irish.
8. 0—Station Orchestra and Eileen Gunning. Conductor, Signor Grossi: Ov., Dame Valentine (Suppe); Finlandia (Sibelius). Eileen Gunning: Softly Sighs the Voice of Evening (from "Der Freischutz" (Von Weber).
8.30—Riobard O'Farachain: Everyman Talks to a Business Man.
8.45—First Production of Eclogues by Lady Gregory: "The Meadow Gate" and "The Lighted Window." Directed by John MacDonagh.
9.30—Sponsored Programme.
10.30—News, concluded by Light Music.
11. 0—Close down

NORTHERN IRELAND—307.1 Metres (977 Kc.) (1 Kw.).

10.15—Daily Service.
10.30—Weather.
10.45-5.15—Regional.
5.15—Children's Hour.
6. 0—Time, News, Weather.
6.30—Regional.
7. 0—Regional
8. 0—"Farmers' Work and Worry": Peter Fitzpatrick
8.15—"Moonlight Masquerade."
9.15—An Irish Song Recital, by George Beggs (baritone).
9.30—Regional.
10. 0—Time, News, Weather.
10.10-12.0—Regional.

NATIONAL—1,500 Metres (200 Kc.) (150 Kw.).

10.15—Daily Service.
10.30—Weather.
10.45—The Commonsense Baby: "Constipation," by a Doctor.
11. 0—Fredric Bayco, at the Organ of the Dominion Theatre, Tottenham Court road.
11.30—For the Schools.
11.50—The Trocadero Cinema Orchestra.
12.30—The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra, directed by Henry Hall.
1.15—Friday Midday Concert, under the direction of Johan Hock, relayed from Queen's College Chambers Lecture Hall, Birmingham. A Recital: Audrey Piggott (violoncello). Dorothy Aspinall (pianoforte).
2. 5—For the Schools.
4. 0—A Symphony Concert, Solo Pianoforte, Victor Hely-Hutchinson; the B.B.C. Midland Orchestra.
5.15—The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra, directed by Henry Hall.
6. 0—Time, News, Weather.
6.30—The Foundations of Music: Fauré. Songs sung by Sophie Wyss (soprano).
6.50—"In Your Gardens": C. H. Middleton.
7.10—"Talking of Music": Malcolm Sargent, Mus.D.
7.30—Young Ideas, a programme for Young People of all Ages.
8. 0—"Devonshire Cream," a Comedy in Three Acts, by Eden Phillpotts. From Bristol.
9.20—The Vagabond Lover, presented by Bryan Michie. The B.B.C. Variety Orchestra.
9.30—Time, News, Weather.
10. 0—I Knew a Man—9. "Sir William Osler": Sir Walter Langdon-Brown.
10.20—The B.B.C. Concerts of Contemporary Music—2. (Tenth Season.) To be given before an audience in the Concert Hall, Broadcasting House. Music by British Composers. Solo pianoforte, Adolph Hallis. The B.B.C. Orchestra. Conducted by Warwick Braithwaite and George Lloyd.
11.15-12.0—Harry Roy and his Band, relayed from the May Fair Hotel.

REGIONAL—342.1 Metres (877 Kc.) (50

10.15—Daily Service.
10.30—Weather.
10.45—The Western Studio Orchestra. Margaret Wilkinson (soprano).
11.45—An Organ Recital by Marshall Gilchrist, relayed from St. Machar's Cathedral, Aberdeen.
12.15—Gramophone.
1. 0—The Birmingham Hippodrome Orchestra.
2. 0—Gramophone.
2.30—The B.B.C. Northern Orchestra.
3.30—Gramophone.
4.15—The Hotel Metropole Orchestra.
5.15—Children's Hour.
6. 0—Time, News, Weather.
6.30—The Vario Trio.
7. 0—World Tour. A new Pot-pourri, by Julius Buerger. The B.B.C. Chorus. The B.B.C. Theatre Orchestra.
8. 0—The B.B.C. Northern Orchestra.
8.45—Variety, with Flotsam and Jetsam, Claude Hulbert and Enid Trevor, Hutch (Leslie A. Hutchinson), Barton and Yorke, Kenneth Blain. Jean Melville at the piano, and Marius B. Winter and his Band.
9.30—Gramophone.
10. 0—Time, News, Weather.
10.10—Gramophone.
10.30-12.0—Harry Roy and his Band, relayed from the May Fair Hotel.

MIDLAND—296.2 Metres (1,013 Kc.) (25 Kw.).

10.45-5.15—Regional.
5.15—Children's Hour.
6. 0—Time, News, Weather.
6.30—Frank Newman, at the Organ of The Plaza Theatre, Rugby.
7. 0—Regional.
8. 0—Beethoven's Pianoforte Concerto No. 4, in G, Op. 58. Solo pianoforte, Victor Hely-Hutchinson, the B.B.C. Midland Orchestra.
8.40—"At the Langleys."
9.30—Gramophone.
10. 0—Time, News, Weather.
10.10—Sir Ben Turner, C.B.E., speaking at the First Annual Banquet of the Yorkshire and North of England Society in the Mercers' Hall, Urch's Restaurant, Gloucester.
10.30-11.15—Regional.

WEST—373.1 Metres (804 Kc.) (50 Kw.).

10.15—Daily Service.
10.30—Weather.
10.45-5.15—Regional.
5.15—Children's Hour.
6. 0—Time, News, Weather.
6.30—Regional.
8. 0—A Concert, relayed from Tabernacle Chapel, Skewen. David Brazell (baritone), The Tabernacle, Skewen, Male Voice Party.
8.45—Regional.
9.30—Some Organs of the West Country. 1, Exeter Cathedral. An Organ Recital by Alfred W. Wilcock.
10. 0—Time, News, Weather.
10.10—Welsh.
10.15-12.0—Regional.

NORTH—449.1 Metres (668 Kc.) (50 Kw.).

10.15—Daily Service.
10.30—Weather.
10.45-5.15—Regional.
5.15—Children's Hour.
6. 0—Time, News and Weather.
6.30—For Northern Farmers in Particular. Accredited Milk Producer and the Milk Supply. J. A. Hanley, Frank A. Capstick, and C. H. Westwater.
6.50—Jack Lawton (Pianoforte).
7. 0—Regional.
8. 0—The B.B.C. Northern Orchestra.
8.45—Sports Edition: A Monthly Survey of Northern Sport in several paragraphs.
9.10—The Funbeams Concert Party.
10. 0—Time, News and Weather.
10.10—Sir Ben Turner, C.B.E., speaking at the First Annual Banquet of the Yorkshire and North of England Society in the Mercers' Hall, Urch's Restaurant, Gloucester.
10.30-12.0—Regional.

SCOTTISH—391.1 Metres (767 Kc.) (50 Kw.).

10.15—Daily Service.
10.30—Weather.
10.45-1.55—Regional.
1.55—For the Schools.
3.55-5.15—Regional.
5.15—Scottish Children's Hour.
6. 0—Time, News and Weather.
6.30—Next Week You'll Hear: Excerpts from programmes for the week beginning December 1.
6.40—Saturday Sport: L. Ker Robertson.
6.50—For Scottish Farmers in Particular: A. D. Buchanan Smith.
7. 0—Regional.
9. 0—The Manse Muse: A Ministerial Miscellany.
8.45—Regional.
9.30—A Gaelic Concert: Jenny Currie (soprano), Neil McLean (tenor).
10. 0—Time, News and Weather.
10.10—Piping and Fiddling: Pipe-Major G. Greenfield, John Marr (violin).
10.40-12.0—Regional.

ON THE CONTINENT

BUDAPEST (549.5 m.)—6.30-9.25 p.m.—"The Flying Dutchman" Opera (Wagner), relayed from the Royal Opera

KALUNDBORG (1,261 m.)—7.10-8.0 p.m.—Sacred Concert from Christiansborg Castle Church. Soloists and the Copenhagen Boys Choir.

PARIS (PTT) (431.7 m.)—8.30-10.30 p.m.—Molière and de Musset Programme.

RADIO-PARIS (1,648 m.)—8.45-10.45 p.m.—Two Operettas (Offenbach): (a) "The Drum-Major's Daughter," and (b) "The Grand Duchess of Gerolstein."

PRAGUE (570.2 m.)—6.30-7.10 p.m.—Piano Concerto No. 5 in E flat, Op. 73 (Beethoven).

VIENNA (506.8 m.)—6.30-9.0 p.m.—Gurrelieder (Schönberg).

TO-MORROW

DUBLIN—223 Metres (1,348 Kc.) (1 Kw.), **ATHLONE 531 Metres** (565 Kc.) (60 Kw.), and **CORK—242 Metres** (1,240 Kc.) (1 Kw.).

1.30-2.30—Gramophone.
5.30—Peeps at the Programme.
5.45—Gramophone.
6.15—Caledonian Male Voice Choir, St. Andrew's Night, 1935. A programme of Scottish interest, arranged by the Caledonian Male Voice Choir. Hon. Conductor, Mr. L. G. Banton. Accompanist and Soloist, Miss Violet MacKinnon. Prologue by Miss Marjorie Williams. Programme includes The Auld Scotch Sangs, Annie Laurie (arr. Emerson), Scots Wha Hae (arr. Roberton), There's Nae Luck Aboot the Hoose (arr. G. Shaw), March Ettrick and Teviotdale (Maunder), The Piper o' Dundee, The Wee Cooper o' Fife (trad.), Ye Banks and Braes (trad.), The Road to the Isles (Kennedy Fraser), Auld Lang Syne.
6.45—News.
7. 0—A Visitor interviewed on the Radio.
7.20—Dublin Philharmonic Society, relayed from McIntyre Hall. Grand Symphony Concert. Conductor, Colonel Fritz Brasé. Soloist, Rhona Marshall (piano). Overture, Der Freischutz (Weber), Piano Concerto No. 12 in A (Mozart), Suite El Amor Brujo (De Falla), Symphony No. 8 in F (Beethoven), Prelude, The Mastersingers (Wagner).
9.30—Sponsored Programme.
10.30—News; Military Expert on Abyssinian War, concluded by Light Music.
11. 0—Close down.

REGIONAL—342.1 Metres (877 Kc.) (50 Kw.).

10.15—Daily Service.
10.30—Weather.
10.45—Th eScottish Studio Orchestra.
11.45—Reginald Dixon at the Organ of the Tower Ballroom, Blackpool.
12.15—Charles Ernesco and his Quintet.
1.15—National.
4.30—The B.B.C. Orchestra, directed by Henry Hall.
5.15—Children's Hour.
6. 0—Time, News and Weather.
6.30—The Victor Olof Sextet.
7. 0—The B.B.C. Orchestra; the B.B.C. Chorus.
8. 0—European Exchange—2. Denmark: A Discussion between Robert Staermose and Michael Spender.
8.30—Jack Payne's Radio Party, including Famous People you may have seen and not heard, and others you may have heard and not seen. Jack Payne with his Band.
9.30—A Violin Recital by Dea Gombrich.
10. 0—Time, News and Weather.
10.10—Ambrose and his Embassy Club Orchestra.
10.45—Gramophone.
11. 0-12.0—Ambrose and his Embassy Club Orchestra, continued.

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MENACE OF STORED THREAD IN DUBLIN

MINISTER'S HINT OF SEIZURE

SCENES DURING DAIL DEBATE

DEVELOPMENT OF TANNERIES

IRISH ENAMEL WARE FACTORY

On the Committee stage of the Imposition of Duties (Confirmation of Orders) Bill (No. 2), 1935, in the Dail yesterday,

Mr. MULCAHY (U.I., North Dublin) moved to delete from the schedule references to the imposition of a duty of thirty-three and a third per cent. on almonds. He said that the Minister had not told them what industrial employment was going to be given by this Order, the wages that were going to be paid, or the conditions of employment in the industry to be set up under this Order.

Mr. J. DILLON (U.I., Donegal), supporting the amendment, said that he objected most strongly to any discretion being left in the hands of the Minister for Industry and Commerce to issue licences for the free importation of any merchandise so long as the present state of affairs obtained. He had no hesitation in saying that the licensing system prevailing in this country was a poisonous scandal.

The MINISTER (Mr. Lemass) intervened, and asked if the Deputy was in order in discussing licensing powers on this stage of the bill.

Mr. DILLON said that he was objecting to this particular Order, because it had attached to it a licensing provision, and he submitted that such licensing discretion should not be put in the hands of the Minister. An identical Order had been made with respect to China, in which the Minister had licensing discretion, and the Minister made it known to all dealers that unless they got a certificate from a citizen of the State residing in Abbey street, by the name of Hoffman, they would not get licences.

The MINISTER again protested that the Deputy's remarks were not relevant.

The SPEAKER said that the Deputy must confine himself to the present Order.

Mr. DILLON said that he had no reason to believe that when he got this licensing discretion the Minister would not tell traders that they would have to get a certificate from "Mr. So-and-So" before issuing a licence. Such a proceeding was perfectly monstrous.

EXCHANGES

The MINISTER again interrupted, and Mr. Dillon said that he would not give way, that the Minister did not like what he was going to say.

The MINISTER said that he was as much entitled to speak there as the deputy.

Mr. DILLON said that he would not give way except the Minister wished to make a point of order.

Mr. LEMASS said that, on a point of order, he was prepared to deal with any matter arising out of the bill. If other matters were to be raised he should be informed in advance. This practice of bringing in extraneous matters was most unfair, and was designed to prevent those matters being discussed.

Mr. DILLON, resuming, said that the licensing powers were used by the Minister in the way described, and which he regarded as a grossly improper method.

QUESTION OF PRICE

Mr. LEMASS said that the imposition of this duty was decided upon because it appeared to the Government that there was no good reason why the processing of almonds should not be done in this country. That was the only case he could make for it. Deputy Mulcahy, and members of his party, seemed to think that the Government ought to apologise for trying to create industries. The deputy had adopted his usual practice of slandering those connected with industrial enterprise.

Proceeding, the Minister said that the Opposition, while putting up a high-sounding programme for developing Irish industry, did their damndest to sabotage that industry.

MR. HOFFMAN

Mr. Dillon had alleged that no licences for the importation of china could be obtained unless one went to Mr. Hoffman, of Arklow. That statement was not true. In order that deputies might see the malice of it, he might say that Mr. Hoffman was a director of the Arklow Pottery Company, the chairman of which is Senator O'Rourke and the secretary Mr. Heffernan, formerly Minister for Posts and Telegraphs. It was true that when the Department received an application for a licence for the importation of china they made inquiries from the pottery company.

On receiving the information from the company that the goods could not be supplied from Irish sources licences were issued.

"I am certain that Deputy Dillon knew that, or was in a position to get that knowledge with limited inquiries, before coming in here with his allegations about corruption, dishonesty and preferential treatment. Deputy Dillon is not capable of acting fairly in these matters. His whole purpose is to try to sling all the mud he can in the hope that some of it will stick. Not a single allegation made by him in this or in other matters gives the Government the slightest concern."

The amendment was defeated by 60 votes to 35.

ENAMEL WARE

Mr. MULCAHY moved an amendment which sought to remove the duty of 60 per cent. on certain articles of vitreous enamel ware. He said that he would like to get from the Minister an explanation for the imposition of a duty of 60 per cent. on enamel saucepans.

Mr. LEMASS said that the tariff was imposed to help in the establishment of a new industry which was being set up by a firm called Irish Enamel Ware, Ltd. The factory had been constructed at Tralee, and it was estimated that the value of the imports of the goods to be manufactured here averaged about £40,000 a year. He was not in a position to state the number of persons who would be employed, but the number would not be inconsiderable.

Production for stock had begun, but sales had not yet taken place. Licences were issued for the importation of such goods free of duty up to the present, but the stage had been reached where they would require persons seeking licences to show that supplies from the Irish company were not available.

"I will make this prediction," said the Minister: "If the Cumann na nGaedheal Party votes against the imposition of this duty, from this day week onwards they will be denying that they ever did it."

Mr. MULCAHY—The Minister thinks that there are people in this country outside the individuals of the Fianna Fáil Party who can surrender their intelligence and their souls completely. The number is limited.

Continuing, Mr. MULCAHY said that he would like to see industry developed on proper lines, and not as a blister on those whose buying power had been reduced by Fianna Fáil policy.

Mr. DOCKRELL (U.I.P., Dublin S.) asked when the firm would begin delivery in commercial quantities.

Mr. LEMASS said that he did not know, but it would be at an early date.

The amendment was defeated by 57 votes to 38.

FLOOR COVERINGS

Mr. MULCAHY (U.I.P., Dublin N.) then moved an amendment seeking to abolish the duty on floor coverings. They were told that a new industry was to be established.

Mr. LEMASS said that the duty on oilcloth was for revenue purposes to help to balance the nation's accounts. The duty on floor coverings was protective. A factory for making felt base floor coverings would be erected at Tipperary. A new Saorstát company had been formed, which would be associated with a Belgian company. Licences for the importation of these goods free of duty would not be issued. Licences for the importation of certain raw materials, such as paper felt, would be issued to the new company engaging in the manufacture of floor coverings. Licences had been issued to firms assembling motor cars for the importation of paper felt floor coverings for motor cars. The prices at the new Irish factory would be similar to prices of similar goods in England.

THE THREAD FACTORY

Mr. DILLON said that in regard to price and quality the Minister had given the same undertaking in connection with the Westport Thread Factory, whereas the fact was that cotton thread was being sold from Westport at 65s. per gross, while the same thread was available from British sources at 49s. per gross. These undertakings of the Minister with regard to prices were not worth the paper they were printed on or the paper used in expressing them.

The amendment was defeated by 59 votes to 38.

Mr. MULCAHY moved an amendment to the next Order (which dealt with cotton thread), and asked the Minister to explain why in May. 1935, a tariff of 40 per cent. was regarded as sufficient, but in September, 1935, under the Emergency Imposition of Duties Order, that duty was raised to 100 per cent.

Mr. DILLON (U.I.P., Donegal) said that the Order contained a licensing provision, and he objected to the Minister getting a discretion to issue licences for the importation of thread, for in connection with the issue of these licences there had been the most disreputable transaction ever associated with the Minister for Industry and Commerce. In October, 1935. there were numerous applications for this importation, and he invited the Minister to say if he had not an interview with the Merchant Drapers' Association and informed them that he was prepared to issue licences for the import of thread while the Westport factory was getting under way. When that Order was made the central selling agency for a number of firms engaged in the cotton thread business in Great Britain imported a very considerable quantity of cotton thread. That took place during and subsequent to a discussion between the Minister's Department and Messrs. Coats on a question of allowing them to manufacture cotton thread in this country. It was decided not to allow them and that the manufacture would be a reserved commodity for Westport. The Minister for Industry and Commerce then, in collaboration with the Minister for Finance, imposed an Excise duty on all cotton thread in the country that might be in the possession of any person holding at the time more than £10,000 worth of thread.

"LEGALISED ROBBERY"

The result of that imposition under the Emergency Imposition of Duties Order affected only one individual in Saorstat Eireann, and could only affect one individual, and when he had paid £4,000 in Excise duty that duty was allowed to lapse. Two months after the legalised robbery of that individual firm the Minister was indicating his readiness to issue licences to import thread free of duty, because Westport was unable to supply the current demands of the trade.

The firm had offered an affront to the personal silly pride of a silly small man who wreaked his vengeance by finding that firm £4,000. That was an outrage on every standard of decency that ought to obtain in the country.

MINISTER'S REPLY

THE EXCISE DUTY ON THREAD

Mr. LEMASS said that Deputy Dillon obviously had not discussed the matter with anyone in the trade, otherwise he would not have put himself in the foolish position that he had taken up. It was an extraordinary thing that, despite the fact that very large quantities of cotton thread were imported last year, they were still issuing licences for the importation of further large quantities. Deputy Dillon, as usual, was wrong.

The duty on cotton thread imposed originally had been at the rate of 40 per cent., which was considered sufficient protection for the industry. They had no discussions with Messrs. Coats on the subject of their manufacturing thread here, and the firm had made no approach until the arrangements were made for the establishment of the factory in Westport had been completed. While Messrs. Coats, in fact, were approaching the Department they were engaged in the importation of huge quantities of cotton thread through the Central Agency, which represented a big and powerful group of thread manufacturers in Great Britain with millions of capital behind them, which would be utilised if they so chose for the purpose of making the manufacture of thread in this country impossible. He submitted that they had so decided to use that power.

STORED THREAD

An increase in the duty to one hundred per cent. had been necessiated because, in the opinion of the Government, there was the possibility of further thread being imported and stored in Dublin, as the thread previously imported had been stored. There was within a short distance of Leinster House £30,000 worth of thread in store. It was being held for some purpose, and the situation was causing the Government concern. The Excise duty of forty per cent. on certain stocks of thread did not catch all the stocks of thread, although a sum of £4,000 was paid in duty as a result of it. The situation created by the existence of those stocks was a menace to the Irish industry whenever those who held them chose to release them. The menace still existed, and might occasion other measures.

Mr. MULCAHY—You can seize them when you get rid of the Senate.

Mr. LEMASS—It may be necessary, but I do not think so. The tactics adopted by this powerful combine must be defeated, because if they are not they will inevitably be repeated in respect of other Irish industrial projects.

He was sorry that Deputies Mulcahy and Dillon had ranged themselves on the side of those who had adopted those tactics, despite the new found policy of their party to encourage industrial development here. As far as he was informed these was no dissatisfaction on the part of the drapers or manufacturers concerning supplies of thread.

THE WESTPORT ARTICLE

The Drapers' Chamber of Trade representative had said that the thread manufactured at Westport was equal to, if not better than, Coats' thread, and the prices were the same. It was true that the Westport Company was not yet in a position to supply the full requirements of the country, and licences still were being issued, despite the fact that a huge quantity of thread was in storage in Dublin. A peculiar, and exceptional, situation had been created, and it called for the exercise of considerable care on behalf of the Government to ensure that those who were responsible for the importation and storage would not be able to do anything inimical to the development of Irish industry.

Mr. DILLON asked why was not the Excise duty imposed on the thread stored in Dublin.

Mr. LEMASS—All the stocks could not be made liable to duty.

Mr. DILLON said that not one inch of thread was being manufactured in Westport.

Mr. LEMASS said that there had been no indication from Messrs. Coats that they had any interest in the manufacture of thread here until the Westport factory had been constructed. Mr. Dillon's statements were entirely untrue.

The amendment was rejected by 63 votes to 41.

SPORTS REQUISITES

Mr. MULCAHY moved another amendment to abolish the increased duty on sports requisites.

The amendment was rejected by 59 votes to 40.

Moving an amendment to refuse confirmation of an Order imposing a duty of 37½ per cent. on leather of certain descriptions,

Mr. MULCAHY asked the Minister to explain the effect of the Order.

The MINISTER FOR FINANCE at first refused to answer, and then said that, if the deputy had taken the responsibility of putting down an amendment, he ought to be able to make a case for it.

Mr. MULCAHY—Is it to benefit manufacturers of leather goods or is it a revenue tariff?

Mr. McGILLIGAN (U.I.P., Nat. Univ.)—Does the Minister know—is it intended to help the manufacture of Irish leather goods?

The MINISTER—It is intended to establish a tanning industry here.

Mr. MULCAHY—There is a firm, the Irish Leather Goods Company, Ltd. How is a firm like that going to be affected? The company consists of Messrs. Zlotover, Baer, Buchalter and Isaacson. Will the order adversely affect manufacturers of boots and shoes?

Professor ALTON (Ind., Dublin University) asked would the duty affect synthetic leather used in book-binding.

Mr. MacDERMOT also asked the Minister to explain the order.

Mr. MacENTEE said that the order imposed a Customs duty of 37½ per cent. and a minimum duty of 9d. a pound on leather, other than bridle leather, chamois, hogskin and trunk leather.

The duty was primarily to encourage the development of tanneries in the country, and arrangements had been made to start tanneries at Gorey, Dungarvan, Passage West and Carrick-on-Suir. The Gorey factory would manufacture "greasy leather," the Passage West factory chrome leather and linings, the Dungarvan factory semi-chrome and linings and leather such as was used for the manufacture of clothing and fancy goods, and the Carrick-on-Suir factory chrome leather. It was anticipated that considerable employment would be given by the establishment of these factories, and, when they were in full production, that they would supply goods at the same as the selling price ex-British factories.

Mr. DILLON (U.I., Donegal) asked the Minister to secure that the boot and shoe industry would not be adversely affected.

A SCENE

Mr. BRISCOE said that Deputy Mulcahy had introduced the amendment simply to mention four names.

Mr. MULCAHY—Are they Abyssinians?

Mr. BRISCOE—No; they are members of a persuasion to which I am very proud to belong, and a member of which saved Deputy Mulcahy's life from the Black-and-Tans.

The DEPUTY SPEAKER called the deputy to order.

Mr. McGILLIGAN said that Deputy Briscoe was very anxious to defend a certain community, but if they were discredited it was mainly by Deputy Briscoe himself. No one could say anything against that community, except in relation to him. Deputy Briscoe was a bad specimen of a good community.

Professor O'SULLIVAN (U.I., Kerry) asked if the Minister was satisfied that there was going to be an increase in employment as a result of the duty.

Mr. MacENTEE said that the sole purpose expressed in the terms of the Order was to apply a duty to all leathers, with certain minor exceptions. Deputy Dillon wanted to know what was the effect of this proposal upon the boot industry which had been established by their predecessors. The fact of the matter was that during their predecessors' *régime* the boot-making industry was not there. Not one-sixth of the boots and shoes worn by the people at that time were made in the country. Now almost 90 per cent. of the boots and shoes worn were made here.

Mr. MULCAHY—And yet employment had not been doubled.

Continuing, Mr. MacENTEE said that certain names had been mentioned in that debate—one was Isaacson—one of whom had given protection to Deputy Mulcahy during the Black-and-Tan times: but Deputy Mulcahy had shown no gratitude. The proposal was one which would establish four tanneries.

Mr. MULCAHY said that they had not got the slightest idea from the Minister as to the volume of industrial production that would result, or the number of persons who would be employed. The Jewish community in the past were an orderly, decent community. Nobody had anything to say against them. To-day they suffered from the advocacy of Deputy Briscoe, and from those who were washed into the ports of the Free State by the Minister's policy. The Minister for Industry and Commerce knew that numbers of Jews had been done out of business established here before the new invasion, and did not want any discussion on the matter.

The amendment was rejected by 62 votes to 38.

VEHICLE PARTS

Mr. MULCAHY moved an amendment to delete the duty of 33 1-3 per cent. on certain articles of worked iron, including springs, axles and other parts of vehicles.

The MINISTER for FINANCE said that grammes of gold to Italy.
most of the articles mentioned in the Order already had been protected. Most of them had been protected by a 50 per cent. tariff. Thanks to an arrangement which had been made they could reduce the tariff to the general level of 33⅓ per cent., and at the same time enable a new factory to be established at Wexford.

Alderman CORISH (Labour, Wexford) said that the factory was almost completed, and it was expected to be in production in the new year. He referred to a conversation he had had with the managing director, and said that between 500 and 1,000 employés would be required. Only adults would be employed.

The amendment was defeated by 51 votes to 34.

The Committee stage was agreed to.

A motion that the report stage be taken to-day was passed after a division, the voting being 61 for and 28 against.

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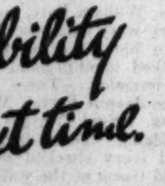

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PACKING OF IRISH FRUIT

UNSATISFACTORY METHODS

WHY PRICES REMAIN LOW

THE careless way in which Irish apples are packed is very detrimental to their sale, according to evidence given before the Fruit and Vegetable Tribunal at a sitting held at 33 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, yesterday, Mr. H. O'Friel (chairman) presiding.

Messrs. C. Gold (Messrs. W. H. Lamb and Co., Ltd.), F. Reilly (Messrs. James Reilly, Sons and Co.), J. C. Uden (Messrs. Fletcher and Sons), H. Lawlor (Messrs. H. Lawlor and Sons), and J. J. Kelly (Messrs. Connolly, Kelly and Co.), members of the Irish Wholesale Fruit and Vegetable Trades Association, along with their Secretary, Mr. Gerald J. Kinlan, gave evidence in relation to the methods of sale operating in the Corporation Fruit and Vegetable Market.

Some of the forestallers, they stated, handled foreign fruit, but generally they purchased from the wholesalers. Ninety-five per cent. of the Irish apples received were badly graded and carelessly packed—two things that militated against their sale.

EXCELLENT QUALITY

That was to be regretted, particularly in the case of Irish cooking apples, which were equal to those available in any part of the world. Some of the more enthusiastic growers were making an effort now to put their apples into one, two and three grades, but even then a lot was to be desired. At the moment it was not possible to get Irish dessert apples in the Dublin market. No cooking apples were imported during the Irish season, which ended about March. The practice of the forestallers taking fruit and vegetables away from the Corporation Market was not reasonable or to be encouraged, but it had been the custom in Dublin for a long time. The forestallers formed a link between the market and the shopkeepers who could not attend the sales in the morning personally.

The highest price obtained in normal times for a well-packed and graded ten-stone barrel of Irish apples was 35s., and the average rate at which the same quantity and quality were sold was from 18s. to 20s.

Replying to the Chairman, it was stated that the sale of fruit by auction was most favoured in Dublin, as it was believed that it gave the growers the best opportunities of securing the highest prices.

BETTER CONTAINERS

The witnesses also stated that it would be more economical and profitable if the Irish growers selected their apples and packed them in better and more attractive containers than those now in use. Suggestions also were made that cauliflowers should be graded at the place of origin, and sent to the market packed in fibre mats. Better prices would result. If it were insisted that all cabbages must come under the hammer growers would be more content, and in a great many cases there would be keener competition. They were unanimous in their opinion that during the summer months the gates of the Corporation Market should open at 6.30 a.m., and that everything should be in order at 8 a.m.

Mr. J. J. Kelly—You still would have growers arriving at 9 a.m.

Chairman—You could visualise a state of affairs when growers, arriving at 9 o'clock, would be turned away. That might be drastic, but it would be effective after a few days.

Mr. Kelly said that the producer would be able to sell on more advantageous conditions, as a rule, by selling through the salesmen. This practice also eliminated a lot of worry.

Mr. Gold, in reply to the Chairman, said that it was absolutely essential that a system of potato grading should be introduced.

The Commission adjourned until this morning at 10.45.

THE ROYAL CITY OF DUBLIN HOSPITAL

CLAIMS OF LINEN GUILD

An "at home" in connection with the Royal City of Dublin Hospital, Baggot street, held yesterday in the hospital, was attended by a large gathering of supporters and friends.

Mrs. Wylie, wife of Mr. Justice Wylie, speaking of the work of the Linen Guild during the past year, said that the financial position of the Guild was not altogether as happy as they should like it to be. In 1933 the balance at the bank was £272, but this had decreased in 1934 to £138, and now there was, unfortunately, another decrease to £96. It was true that the Guild had given linen to the hospital to the amount of £279, as opposed to £240 in 1934, but the Board had given a grant of £150 for extra supplies. The real reason of all this was that voluntary effort was decreasing. Voluntary subscriptions were being reduced, and they were beginning to rely more and more on Sweepstake money.

It would be a regrettable thing, indeed, if they should allow the sweepstakes to interfere with their own voluntary efforts on behalf of their great public hospitals, which were doing so much to alleviate the suffering of their fellow-citizens. A hospital ceased to be theirs when they ceased to work for it. Sweepstakes had done much to enable work to be carried on in the hospitals, but they did not evoke the same sympathetic interest that was produced by personal effort and voluntary contributions. Those people who still continued to give their personal support to the hospitals despite what the sweepstakes were doing were deserving of the highest praise. She accorded her thanks to the following members of the Guild, who had worked so hard for the hospital during the year:—The Dowager Countess of Pembroke, Mrs. Grace, Miss Cagney, and Sister Frances from the Church Home, Clyde road, and Mrs. Synge. The hospital was again indebted to the generosity of Dr. Simpson. It was, indeed, gratifying that they had not been forgotten by Their Majesties the King and Queen, who had sent grapes again this year, as in the previous years.

Mr. Seton Pringle, President of the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland, returned thanks to Mrs. Wylie, and expressed the hope that more and more voluntary helpers would come forward, as that kind of effort was essential to success. He congratulated the committee on their work during the year.

After the meeting the visitors inspected the linen and visited the wards. The attendance included:—Mr. Seton Pringle and Mrs. Seton Pringle, Mrs. Cameron and Miss Burke, Mrs. Atkinson-Stoney, Miss A. Stoney, Miss Perry, Mrs. H. Humphrey, the Rev. W. Carroll and Mrs. Carroll, the Rev. M. Handy, Miss Harding, Miss M. Holmes, Mrs. Hamilton, Miss Newell, Mrs. Maxwell, Mrs. Barrington, Mrs. J. X. Murphy, Mrs. Harris, Miss Cluff, Mrs. Thompson, the Misses Scott and Dr. Parsons.

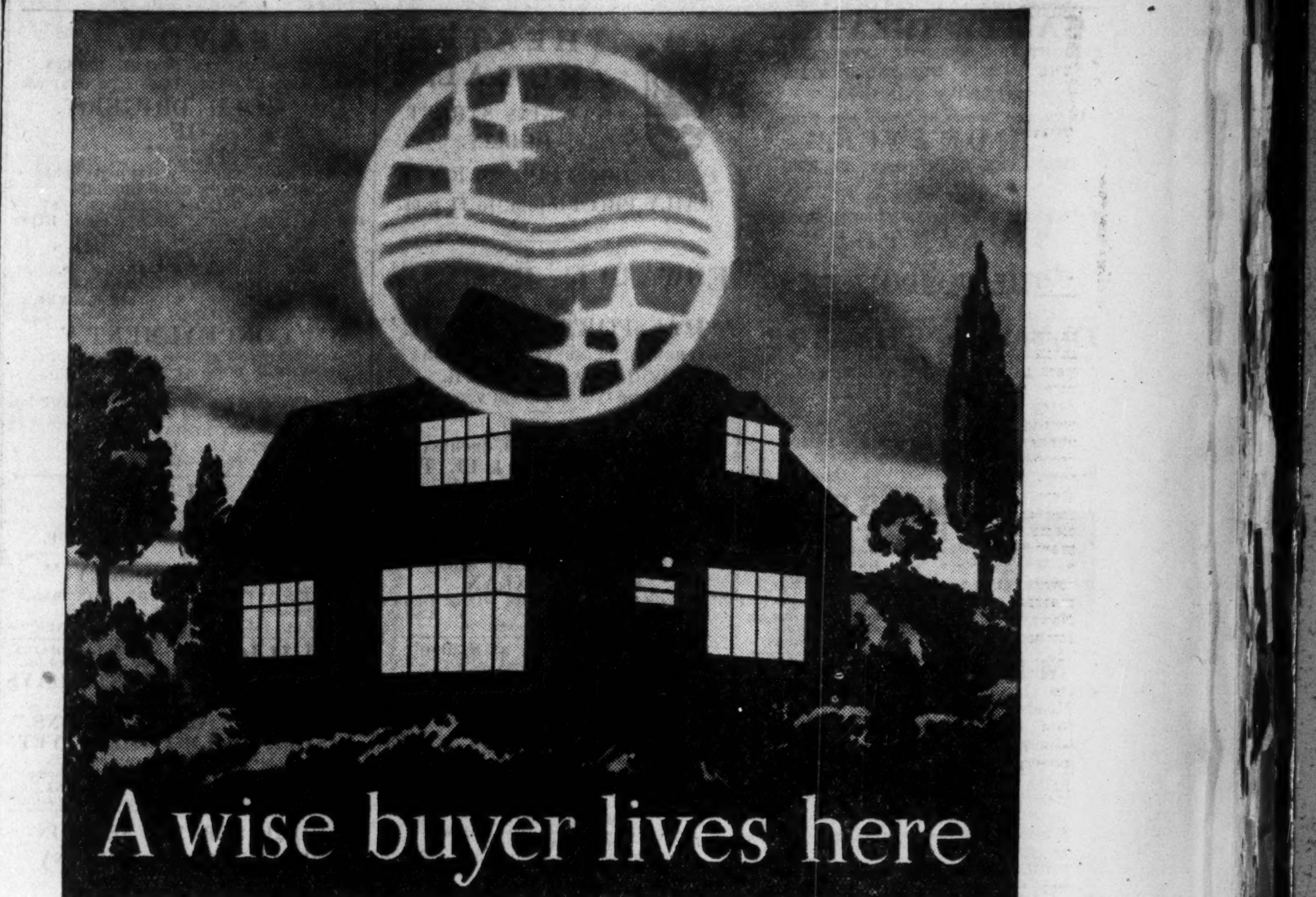
GENERAL NURSING COUNCIL

The half-yearly meeting of the General Nursing Council was held yesterday at 33 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, Senator Sir Edward Coey-Bigger, M.D., presiding. There were also present:—Dr. J. M. O'Donovan, Cork; Dr. F. W. Fallon, Galway; Miss Walsh, R.G.N., Limerick; Dr. McCarvill, Miss Healy, R.G.N.; Miss E. Fischer, R.G.N.; Miss M. Harold, R.G.N.; Miss C. S. Willis, R.M.N.; Mrs. L. McWhinney; Miss M T. Murphy, R.G.N.; and Miss A. Black, Registrar.

The Registration Committee reported that up to the date of the meeting the number of general (medical and surgical) nurses registered was 5,479, fever nurses 275, sick children's nurses 81, mental nurses 952, male nurses 5. The total number of nurses registered up to date is 6,789.

The Hospitals Committee admitted the following mental hospitals to the list of hospitals recognised by the Council for the training of mental nurses:—District Mental Hospital, Carlow; District Mental Hospital, Letterkenny; and House of St. John of God, Stillorgan, Co. Dublin.

Donna Rachele Mussolini and Countess Edda Ciano, the wife and daughter respectively of the Duce, have presented 1,000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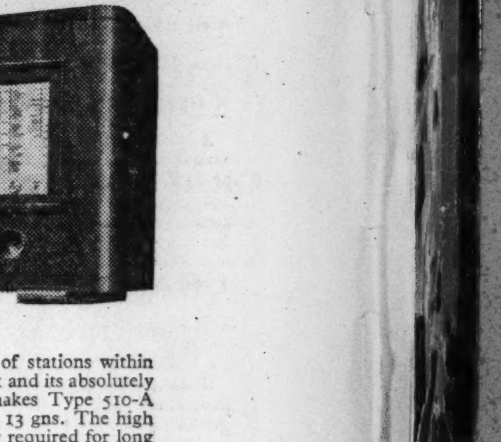

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Mr. Claude Henderson, Lloyds Agent at Leghorn, has left Italy at the request of the Italian authorities, for reasons unspecified.

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The Canadian Government hopes that during the coming year employment conditions would so improve that all Canada's Federal relief camps will be able to close. This announcement was made yesterday by the new Minister for Labour, Mr. Norman Rogers. There are 100 of these camps in Canada.

"THE CHURCH OF IRELAND GAZETTE"

This week's number of *The Church of Ireland Gazette* has a missionary orientation suitable to St. Andrewstide. "In Quietness and Confidence" speaks of St. Andrew and Advent. The first leading article has as its subject "Modern Opposition to Missions." A contributor from Cork writes an interesting paper on "China." The work of the Spanish and Portuguese Society is reviewed, and the St. Patrick's Memorial Fund is discussed from a parson's point of view. Other tastes are suited by "Italy and the Nations," "A Layman's Log," literature and correspondence.

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(PUBLIC HEALTH SECTION.)
LABOURERS ACTS, 1883 TO 1931, AND THE HOUSING (FINANCIAL AND MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS) ACT, 1932.

URLINGFORD HOUSING SCHEME.

NOTICE TO BUILDING CONTRACTORS.

The Commissioner acting as the above Board will consider Tenders for the erection of thirty-eight working-class Houses on the site of the Urlingford Union Buildings, including the demolition and disposal of the existing buildings, in accordance with the Plans and Specification prepared by Mr. T. Kelly, B.E., B.Sc., A.M.I.C.E.I., Consulting Engineer, 35 Patrick street, Kilkenny.

Plans, Specification, Conditions of Contract and Form of Tender may be inspected at the Engineer's Office or the office of the undersigned. Copies may be obtained on a deposit of £5 5/-, refunded on receipt of a bona fide Tender and return of plans.

Sealed Tenders on the official form only, addressed to the Commissioner, and endorsed "Urlingford Housing Scheme," will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon on the 10th December, 1935.

Solvent security with two persons, or by bond of an approved Assurance Company, for an amount equal to one-half of the tendered price, will be required.

The Contractor will be liable for payment of stamp duty on agreements and bonds, and the Commissioner reserves the right to determine the date on which any Contractor is to commence the works.

Contractors must comply with the terms of the 1932 Housing Act as regards trade union wages and conditions of employment, and must also comply with all Orders issued, or to be issued, by the Department of Local Government and Public Health.

All materials and appliances must, where possible and practicable, be of Saorstat manufacture and origin.

The Commissioner is not bound to accept the lowest or any Tender, and the acceptance of any and every Tender will be subject to the sanction of the Minister for Local Government and Public Health.

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Sealed Tenders, marked "Electrical Contract," must reach this office before noon on 11th December, 1935. The Committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender.

F. F. MacCARTHY,
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Rises	8.12	8.14
Sets	4.13	4.12
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TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS

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High and Circuit Courts—Four Courts, 11 a.m.
Central Criminal Court — Green street, 11 a.m.
Fruit and Vegetables Tribunal—33 St. Stephen's Green, 11 a.m.
Local Government (Dublin) Tribunal—Four Courts, 11 a.m.
Land Commission Appeals Tribunal—Upper Merrion street, 11 a.m.
Professor Mims' Lecture—T.C.D., 3 p.m.
R.D.S. Lecture—4 p.m.
University of Dublin Choral Society—Examination Hall, 4.30 p.m.
Statistical Society of Ireland—Royal Irish Academy, 8 p.m.
Dublin Philosophical Society—Lincoln Chambers, 8 p.m.
Rowntree-Mackintosh Staff Dance—Royal Hibernian Hotel, 9 p.m.
Peamount Care Committee Dance—Gresham Hotel, 9 p.m.
Dublin Insurance Athletic Society Dance—Metropole, 9 p.m.

AMUSEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"Romance."
Theatre Royal—"Passport to Fame" and Variety
Olympia Theatre—Revue, "Dancing Time."
Abbey Theatre—"The Glorious Uncertainty."
Gate Theatre—"Crime and Punishment."
Torch Theatre—"Kathleen Mavourneen."
Metropole Cinema—"The Little Colonel."
Grafton Cinema—"The 39 Steps."
Grand Central Cinema—"Imitation of Life."
Corinthian Cinema—"Eight Bells" and "Party Wire."
Theatre de Luxe—"The Silent Passenger" and "The Curtain Falls."
Queen's Theatre — "Night Alarm" and Variety.
Pavilion Cinema, Dun Laoghaire—"Brewster's Millions."
Pictures of Wicklow and Kerry — Combridge's, 18 Grafton street.
Capitol Cinema—"The Glass Key."
Savoy Cinema—"Gold Diggers of 1935" and "Concealment."

The Irish Times.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1935.

NEWS SUMMARY

IRFLAND

In the Dail yesterday, following a lively debate, the Imposition of Duties (Confirmation of Orders) Bill passed the Committee stage. The Report stage will be taken to-day.—(Page 5.)

Sanctions were discussed in the Dail last night on a motion in the names of Deputies Belton and Kent: "That the League of Nations (Obligations of Membership) Order be rescinded."—(Page 8.)

Proposals will be placed before Dublin Corporation on Monday to increase the city's water supply by one million gallons by laying an additional pipe line from Bohernabreena to Stillorgan.—(Page 7.)

In the Central Criminal Court, Dublin, yesterday, Michael Cloherty, Bowling Green, Galway, was found guilty by a jury of the manslaughter of Thomas Bane, Drimcong, Moycullen, and sentenced to twelve months' imprisonment.—(Page 2.)

ABROAD

M. Laval, the Premier, yesterday survived the first attack in the French Chamber, and after trading hours the franc rose sharply against sterling and the dollar. The Mobile Guards, armed with carbines, who had been massed outside the Chamber, melted away when it became obvious that the debate would pass off quietly.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING

At Newbury yesterday Princess Herodene won the Newbury Juvenile Maiden Hurdle Race.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL

There was an improvement in the general tone of the London Stock Markets yesterday, with several interesting features.—(Page 13.)

The price of gold fell by a penny to 140s. 11d. per ounce. The Bank of England has made a further purchase of £424,674 in bar gold.—(Page 13.)

The Dublin Stock Market was cheerful. Dealings started in new 4 per cent. Conversion Loan at 4¾ premium. Great Northern Rails were again in demand, and the Guaranteed Stock gained three points. Grand Canal Ordinary were 2s. 6d. higher. (Page 13.)

Videant Consules!

For several weeks past there have been persistent rumours of impending trouble in France. Scare-mongers, for whom the wish has been father to the thought, have been predicting all kinds of disorder, and it was believed generally that, when the Chamber met in Paris yesterday, serious disturbances would take place. In the event, nothing happened. Mindful of the February riots, the French authorities took no risks. The Tuileries gardens were filled with members of the *Garde Mobile*; every street corner had its posse of armed police, and every possible precaution was taken to preserve order. A much stronger guardian of the peace than any armed force, however, was early on the scene; for it rained heavily in Paris yesterday, and no Parisian likes to get wet. Instead of making demonstrations in front of the Chamber, therefore, the *boulevardiers* took refuge in their *cafés*, and the Chamber's meeting was undisturbed. Of course, there is no doubt that an exceedingly delicate situation exists in the Chamber; but for the moment, at any rate, M. Laval is safe. There was only one division yesterday. It was taken on a matter of procedure—whether or not the financial debate should take precedence over the debate on the Fascist Leagues—and M. Laval declared that he would regard it as a matter of confidence. The Government, which insisted on the urgency of the financial situation, gained its point by 345 votes to 225, thus securing a comfortable majority on the first trial of strength; but it would be unwise to assume that it will have a like success either to-morrow, when the vote on the future of the franc is likely to be taken, or on next Tuesday, when the problem of the Fascist Leagues will be debated. Yesterday, of 160 Radicals, more than sixty followed M. Herriot into the Government lobbies; some fifty voted against the Government, and the remainder either abstained from voting or were not present. All the parties of the extreme Left voted solidly against the Government, on the ground that the Chamber ought to deal with the Fascist Leagues without delay. M. Laval showed admirable firmness, and, having had his way with comparative ease, will be able to face next week's debates with renewed confidence.

What will happen to the French currency? M. Laval, in common with most other Frenchmen, is determined that there shall be no devaluation; but the financial situation is becoming critical, and drastic steps must be taken to avoid a flight from the franc. Like virtually all the other European countries, France has been spending huge sums of money on her "defences." In other words, she has been arming heavily. It may be argued that such expenditure is inevitable, that without properly organised defences no stable administration can be carried on in the Republic, and that the old tag, *pas d'argent, pas de Suisses*, still holds good. Certainly a case can be made for this point of view; but the fact is that, when money is spent on armaments, Budgets have a habit of refusing to be balanced. The French people dislike direct taxation. They seem to have a genius for tax evasion, and, although they are mulcted fairly heavily in indirect ways, they still regard any attempt to levy direct imposts with the gravest suspicion. The result is that the Government finds itself faced with substantial deficits. During the last few weeks there have been valiant efforts to "peg" the franc. Enormous sums in gold bullion have been shipped across the Atlantic from Le Havre; even little tramp steamers have been pressed into service for the transport of ingots, and, although the gold reserves of the Bank of France are almost inexhaustible, the constant drain has begun to make itself felt. The Bank rate has been raised to six *per cent.*, which is extremely high for France, and there is a possibility that it may become even higher. In spite of these measures, out-goings continue to exceed income to an alarming extent. The Government has no real choice in the matter; it simply must enforce economies, or else abandon the franc to the tender mercies of a free market. The French people cannot have things both ways. They are in a decidedly difficult position; but, if they want increased armaments, they must be prepared to pay for them. Their refusal hitherto to recognise this rudimentary proposition has brought them to their present pass.

At the best, only emergency measures can be taken to-day; but M. Laval may be able to clear his financial decks for the big debate on Tuesday. The problem of the Fascist Leagues presents some formidable difficulties. The average Frenchman has little love for Fascism in any shape or form; yet of recent months Colonel de la Rocque's *Croix de Feu* has been gaining strength, and there are several other kindred organisations which are making a special appeal to French youth. The Centre parties have been growing appreciably weaker, while both extremes have been increasing their powers. While Colonel de la Rocque and his friends have been moving steadily towards the ideal of a Fascist dictatorship the Communists have been almost equally active, and the position at the moment is that M. Laval, with his moderate supporters, is between two opposing groups of extremists. The Communists, naturally, demand the suppression of the Fascist Leagues. They are encouraged by the Socialists, as well as by a section of the Radicals, all of whom take the view that, unless the *Croix de Feu* and its auxiliaries are tackled now, they soon will get out of hand. The main objection to these organisations is the fact that they wear uniforms and badges. Those who object to them believe that, if the wearing of distinctive attire should be made illegal, the Leagues would lose much of their popularity among the young people; and it is quite likely that M. Laval may be persuaded to take some kind of action of this kind. Unless something is done, a clash between the Fascists and the Communists seems to be almost inevitable—if not next week, at some future date; and, if the Premier takes a firm stand, the majority of sensible Frenchmen probably will support him. Most French patriots realise that France cannot afford the luxury of internecine strife. The Republic is in danger; and its safety dwarfs all other issues in importance. Europe never was in a less settled condition. Its peace is resting on a razor edge, and there never was greater need for French solidarity than there is to-day. We believe that the French people will rally behind their Government in this time of national emergency; for their enemies are waiting for their opportunity, and they no longer can depend upon their friends.

Air Services

At last, it appears, the Free State is about to take steps to remedy her backwardness in matters of aviation. In the *Dáil* on Wednesday night Mr. Lemass announced that, after prolonged negotiations, an arrangement had been reached to set up a regular commercial air service between the Free State and Great Britain, and that it may be expected to begin early in the new year. The present arrangement, it is true, is not meant to be permanent. Mr. Lemass still is considering a scheme to create a national air transport company in the Free State which will have control over all services between the two countries, and hopes to bring this scheme before the *Dáil* in the near future. In the meantime, as he says, there is great need for a service to be established at the earliest possible moment. A Free State company has been created which will work in conjunction with an English company, and the arrangement provides that both companies shall be governed by a joint committee of management, and shall pool their traffic receipts. The first services, it is proposed, shall be between Dublin and Liverpool and Dublin and Bristol, but afterwards it is possible that direct services to London may be provided from Dublin, and perhaps also from Cork. Immediate steps are to be taken to instal wireless equipment at Baldonnel for the guidance of the aeroplanes, and the services will begin as soon as all the proper facilities have been provided for them. This new company, as Mr. Lemass pointed out, will eventually be made a subsidiary of the national company which he has in mind, and it is to be noted that, apparently, he thought the whole question too urgent to defer until his more ambitious plan could be put into operation. This haste is in strong contrast to the apathy which has gone before it, and at first glance one might be inclined to ask why an air service between the Free State and Great Britain should be of such immediate importance. It would be highly desirable, but no real hardship would attend its absence. Nevertheless, it is possible that Mr. Lemass may have had broader issues in mind. His announcement coincides with the meetings which are now being held at Ottawa between representatives of Great Britain, Canada and the Irish Free State on the question of a route for the trans-Atlantic air services; and it is significant that Derry's claims to be the Irish air base have been greatly strengthened of late by reason of the fact that already there is a regular air service between Northern Ireland and Great Britain. We have urged more than once that the Free State, if she wishes to keep her own claim to the forefront, must be able to show that she can offer facilities, and the new service to Great Britain is at least a step in the right direction.

Building Material

We observe that the Prices Commission continued yesterday its inquiry into the cost of building materials. It hardly would be proper at this stage to prejudice the Commission by comment on at least one remarkable statement which was given in the course of evidence. We prefer merely to express the hope that its labours will result in advantage to supplier and consumer alike. No more important subject of inquiry has come within the Commission's purview than this subject of building materials. The re-housing of the slum population is to-day, and for many years must remain, the Free State Government's chief concern; and the task must not be hampered either by scarcity or by excessive cost of materials. When the Government first imposed duties on the import of such materials we doubted the wisdom of its policy; even to-day we question whether an open, cheap and plentiful supply would not encourage a more speedy fulfilment of the country's housing needs. The tariffs, however, are there, and it is necessary to ensure that the comparatively restricted supply of materials will not hamper the progress of housing. If this important condition can be fulfilled the nation will derive great benefit from the growth of manufactories within its own borders. Most architects agree that native materials are best for nearly all branches of building—best suited to withstand the particular rigours of its climate, and best in appearance. We believe that far too little effort has been made as yet to "exploit" the mineral resources of the Free State; and her lack of forests compels her still to import an enormous quantity of timber for building purposes. An elaborate programme of afforestation and the development of Irish quarries, in our view, would be a great deal more sensible than many of the unnatural industries which are being established to-day. The State's first business is to see that its building programmes shall not suffer within the next few years; its next business is to ensure that a cheap and abundant supply of native materials will never be lacking.

Road Signs

A correspondent in an English newspaper has been complaining that road signs have increased to such an extent that the motorist does not know which way to look. From one end of the country to the other, he says, the roads are plastered with signs and signals. In the towns the line of "Belisha beacons" stretches interminably down the streets, varied by traffic lights at the crossings, "one way" notices and the various directions which are painted on the roadway itself. In the country a continual watch must be kept for the signs marking the thirty mile an hour speed limit; for they occur not only in the neighbourhood of towns, but in the most unexpected places. Then there is the vast army of signals which is maintained by the Government, the local authorities, clubs, societies and private individuals. The bewildered motorist is warned every few hundred yards of dangerous corners, steep hills, narrow bridges, schools, concealed turnings, and of so many other possible causes of disaster, that he comes, in time, to pay little attention to most of what he sees. In their anxiety to make the roads safer, says the correspondent, the authorities have gone to absurd extremes, and drivers who have found so many of the warnings to be unnecessary are beginning to disregard those which are of value. Anybody who has motored in England recently will agree that there is something to be said for this criticism, and that the multiplicity of signs tends to be confusing rather than helpful. An opposite condition of affairs can be found in our own country. During the last twelve years, it is true, there has been a great improvement in the marking of Free State roads, but even now the country has too few road signs rather than too many. In many districts the provision of a few more notices would help the motorist, while a white line down the middle of the road at dangerous points might do much to prevent accidents.

COURT AND PERSONAL

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The King has received several Ministers and other officials who are relinquishing their posts, and has given audience to their successors, who kissed hands on their appointments to the various offices. Before the Privy Council the King gave audience to Mr. Ramsay Macdonald, and after the meeting received Mr. J. H. Thomas.

The Queen was accompanied by the Duchess of Kent and the Dowager Lady Ampthill when she visited the exhibition of the Royal School of Needlework.

The Prince of Wales will present the prizes at the Stationers' Company's School, at Hornsey, on Tuesday, December 3rd.

The Duke and Duchess of Gloucester left Quenby Hall on Wednesday, where they had been the guests of Sir Harold and Lady Nutting. They are now staying with Captain and Mrs. A. Pilkington, near Melton Mowbray, where they are hunting with the Belvoir Hounds.

The Duke of Kent was the guest of honour last night at the anniversary dinner of the Association of Men of Kent and Kentish Men, which was held at Grosvenor House, Park lane. His Royal Highness and the Duchess have promised to attend the ball being organised by the British Sailors' Society at Grosvenor House, London, on December 3rd.

Princess Alice Countess of Athlone, who was the guest of the Governor of Northern Ireland and the Duchess of Abercorn at Wilmont, Dunmurry, was joined yesterday morning by the Earl of Athlone, before driving to Queen's Island, Belfast, where she launched and named the Union Castle liner, Athlone Castle, in Messrs. Harland and Wolff's shipyard. Her Royal Highness inspected the members of the St. John Ambulance Association in the City Hall, and, with the Earl of Athlone, returned to Queen's Island, where Messrs. Harland and Wolff entertained them and a large party at luncheon. Princess Alice and the Earl of Athlone will leave for London this evening, travelling via Larne and Stranraer.

The Marquess and Marchioness of Exeter and Lady Romayne Cecil are returning from Canada, and are expected to arrive in Liverpool to-morrow. The Duchess of Rutland has returned to Belvoir Castle from London. After a brief stay in Paris, Lady Lister Kaye has sailed for the United States. Lady Ribblesdale has left in the s.s. Majestic for New York, and will not return for some months. Lord and Lady Strickland will leave about December 12th for Malta. Lady Hersey Baird has returned to Scotland from paying visits in Ireland.

It is reported that Mr. Lloyd George is leaving for Tangier to-day in the P. and O. liner Kaiser-i-Hind, which sails from Tilbury.

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IRISH WEDDING IN LONDON

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FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

LONDON, Thursday.

The marriage took place this afternoon, at St. Margaret's Church, Westminster, of Mr. Charles Hilary Vaughan Pritchard, the Royal Welch Fusiliers, only son of the late Lieutenant-Colonel C. H. and Mrs. Pritchard, and the Hon. Mary Patricia Monck, younger daughter of the late Captain the Hon. Charles Monck and Mrs. Monck, and sister of Viscount Monck, of Charleville, Enniskerry, County Wicklow. The church was decorated with chrysanthemums in shades of pale gold to deep russet.

The officiating clergy were: Canon J. L. Bryans, Prebendary G. Warner, the Rev. Maurice R. Smith, the Rev. W. G. Llewellyn, and the Rev. L. N. de Burgh.

The bride, who was given away by her brother, wore a gown and train of gold and cream brocade, the train spreading from the skirt itself, and the bodice being made with a loosely-draped neckline and long-fitting sleeves. A wreath of mother of pearl orange buds secured her veil of old Limerick lace, and she carried a sheaf of arum lilies.

There were two little pages—Masters Christopher and Simon Batt, sons of the Hon. Mrs. William Batt, and nephews of the bride. They wore long trousers of bright red velvet, with blouses of deep cream georgette, and walked hand-in-hand with two of the small bridesmaids. There were four little girls—Miss Jeanne Portal, Miss Olwen Wynn-Finch, Miss Brigid Wright, and Miss Katharine Holland. Their dainty frocks were of gold and ivory checked organdie, with sashes of gold tissue at the waists. They wore wreaths of vivid red leaves to match the red of the poinsettias they carried. Sheaves of gay poinsettias were carried by the four older bridesmaids—The Hon. Ursula Vivian, Miss Margaret Portal, Miss Pamela Martin Smith, and Miss Priscilla Ponsonby. Their dresses were fashioned of gold lamé, and made with short trains from the long skirts. They also wore wreaths of bright red leaves, an effective colour contrast.

Captain Morgan Lloyd, of the Royal Fusiliers, acted as best man.

LONDON LETTER

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AN ITALIAN THREAT

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59 FLEET STREET, LONDON,
THURSDAY NIGHT.

THE British Government is not a little disturbed by the deliberate announcement sent forth by Signor Mussolini that the Lake Tsana district may shortly be occupied by Italian troops. The waters of Lake Tsana, the source of the Nile, are essential to the prosperity of the Sudan and Egypt. There is speculation as to why Signor Mussolini should disclose his plans in advance if it is his intention to carry them out. Perhaps, however, the announcement is designed to frighten the British, Egyptians and Sudanese into abandoning the proposed oil embargo in return for an undertaking not to interfere with Lake Tsana or its waters.

Submarines

Abolition of submarines is not likely to be raised at the London Naval Conference, as it is clearly an impracticable proposition at the present time. The French Minister of Marine has stated that there can be no question of depriving France of the advantage of its submarine force—Germany is building U-boats, and Russia is believed to possess a large fleet of modern submarines. In these circumstances, abolition is impossible, and there are many difficulties in the way of limitation in size and number. It is one of the most intricate problems with which next week's conference is confronted. Consideration of it may be deferred until discussions have taken place on the limitation by size of capital ships and cruisers, upon which agreement is more likely.

Ministerial Changes

Several minor Ministerial appointments were made to-day, but, with the exception of Mr. Geoffrey Lloyd, formerly parliamentary private secretary to Mr. Baldwin, the changes are merely a re-shuffle. One change of interest to Ireland, however, is that Mr. Douglas Hacking, who was Financial Secretary to the War Office, becomes Under-Secretary for the Dominions. In parliamentary circles it was remarked that the appointments showed a desire to give the junior members of the Government an opportunity of acquiring Ministerial experience. Mr. Ramsay Macdonald may soon be found a seat, and some of the electors of the Scottish universities have been sounded, with favourable results, regarding his candidature as a successor to the late Mr. Noel Skelton. Mr. Baldwin is anxious to see both the Macdonalds in the Commons, and will do his best to secure their return.

Taking the Oath

Some hundreds of members of the House of Commons have taken the oath, and it is probable that the roll of the new Parliament will be almost complete by to-morrow evening. The procedure attendant on the administration of the oath needs the service of no fewer than five clerks. One listens to members reading the words of the oath, and another watches the signing of the roll. A third marks each member on a list before he presents him to the Speaker. Two other clerks sit at the table, one marking off the names of the members in a big printed register as they sign their names, and the other entering them in a small ledger. Each of the five clerks gaze fixedly at the new member for a few moments, so that they may be able to recognise him again. These precautions are necessary to guard against the possibility of impersonation.

Private Members' Bills

Parliament has not yet got into its stride, but already arrangements have been made for its adjournment for the Christmas holidays on December 20th, and its meeting next year on February 4th. No great progress can be made with any of the measures to be mentioned in the King's Speech during the short interval before Christmas, but before members leave for the holidays they will be able to take part in ballots for the introduction of motions and private bills. Both of these are important as far as the private member is concerned, as they provide opportunities which are too often taken from them when the House of Commons has important business to consider.

The Mining Crisis

Negotiations between the Government, the coal-owners, and the mine-workers were resumed to-day, but no definite conclusions were reached. Captain Crookshank, Secretary of Mines, has been unable to suggest anything of a tangible character, and he will invite further meetings as soon as possible. The issue of a national strike is still in the balance, as everything must depend upon the reply which will be given by Captain Crookshank to the Miners' Executive following upon consultations with the owners. The mine-owners have made certain suggestions which are receiving consideration, but it is thought unlikely that they will offer the higher wages demanded.

Greece

The King of the Hellenes has soon come into collision with General Kondylis, who was really responsible for his return to the throne. The King proposes a general amnesty, to include such outstanding figures as M. Venizelos, and this is a logical consequence of the King's assumption that the plebiscite recalling him to the throne expressed the wish of the great majority of the Greeks for a restoration. Almost all the population desired him to return, and, therefore, it is regarded as somewhat ridiculous to keep in prison or exile the leaders of a small minority. General Kondylis, however, takes a more serious view as to the potential activities of leaders like M. Venizelos and General Plastiras. He has lost no time in falling out with the master he has placed over himself, and his somewhat dictatorial régime will have to give place to a new Prime Minister and Government.

The German Footballers

The international football match, which is to take place on the Tottenham Hotspurs' ground next Wednesday between Germany and England, is responsible for a great deal of agitation in labour circles. A letter of protest against the match has been sent by the Trades Union Council warning the Home Secretary of the risk of serious disturbances if a large number of Nazi supporters pass in procession through London in coaches decorated with the Swastika, and they appeal to him to prohibit the match. It is also pointed out that London Jews regard the presence of the Germans as provocative. These protests are unlikely to interfere with the match, and the Arsenal Club has offered its practice ground at Highbury to the Germans, who will come to London by air on Monday. On Tuesday they are to see the State procession at the opening of Parliament, and after the match the two teams will be given a dinner in the West End as guests of the Football Association.

New Zealand

Mr. Peter Fraser, deputy leader of the Labour Party in New Zealand, in all probability will be the most dominant personality in the new Cabinet, which will be set up next week. Mr. Fraser, who went to New Zealand as a boy from Glasgow, came to England last summer as a delegate to the Empire Parliament Association, and made some interesting contacts while in England. The new Cabinet will include a number of politicians, whose views are moderate when compared with Socialism as we know it in this country and on the Continent.

FRENCH PREMIER WINS FIRST ROUND

CHAMBER DECIDES TO DEBATE FINANCIAL POLICY

QUESTION OF FASCIST LEAGUES ON TUESDAY

M. LAVAL has won the first round in the battle for the life of his Government and of the franc, which began yesterday in the French Chamber of Deputies. By 345 votes to 225, he gained a vote of confidence on the question of whether the financial policy or the thorny question of the Fascist Leagues should be taken first.

The second round will be fought probably to-day at the end of the financial debate, and the third round on Tuesday, on the question of the Fascist Leagues.

In the division over 80 Radicals voted for the Government; fifty voted against.

The franc rose sharply against sterling and the dollar after trading hours, when the Laval vote of confidence became known in Paris. Sterling dropped from 75.01 to 74.80, and the dollar from 15.19 to below gold point—15.18.

RADICAL SUPPORT FOR GOVERNMENT

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

PARIS, Thursday.

Outside the Chamber forces of police were held ready for trouble which did not come, and crowds of would-be spectators of the debate were turned away in the rain.

Speaking from his seat M. Laval, in a firm voice, demanded an immediate debate on the Government's financial policy, adding that he would put the question of confidence on it.

M. Laval said: "The Government does not mean to shirk any debate. It will not recoil before any of its responsibilities. The order of the debates must be settled."

The Premier added that the Government agreed to take interpellations on the Fascist Leagues next after the debate on the franc.

M. Martinaud de Plat declared that the Radicals would vote for the Government. The Right and Centre spokesmen followed suit.

"RECORD OF DELAY"

The only striking speech was by the Socialist leader, M. Blum, who criticised the Government for not summoning Parliament until to-day. "It beats all known records of delay. If you could have promulgated the Budget by decree, you would have postponed the meeting of Parliament still further," he said.

M. Laval—"Yes, I would."

M. Blum went on, "Why do you want this immediate debate on ground you have chosen? The Chamber's first duty is to tackle the debate that the country is waiting for—the Leagues. There is in this Chamber a Republican majority against you. We are not frightened by the financial debate, but Republican law and order must first be guaranteed."

Representatives of the Communists and the other extreme Left groups announced that they would vote against the Government.

Little excitement was shown when the result of the vote was announced.

MONSIEUR PIERRE LAVAL.

On the resumption of the session lesser known deputies mounted the rostrum to ask what the Government was doing about the gold hæmorrhage, but such was the lack of real interest in this part of the debate that M. Laval was absent from his seat until the end.

The debate was adjourned before seven o'clock until to-morrow. What threatened to be a fateful day for France and the franc ended in an atmosphere which proved something of an anti-climax.

Opinion in the Lobbies to-night is that M. Laval is assured of another substantial majority in the vote of confidence at the end of the financial debate.

BRAZIL REVOLT SUPPRESSED

COMPLETE CALM IN COUNTRY

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

RIO DE JANEIRO, Thursday.

The Brazilian revolt has now been completely suppressed, it is officially announced here, and calm is stated to be reigning throughout the country.

Yesterday's miniature war, in which rebels seized a steamer at Natal, and others had to be bombed and burnt out of a barracks at Pernambuco, was followed by another short-lived Communist rising in the 3rd Regiment in Rio de Janeiro. This was, however, quickly quelled.

Communist elements in the Rio School of Aviation also tried to foment a revolt, but they, too, were quickly suppressed.

This evening there was an impressive funeral of the loyal officers and soldiers who were killed fighting the rebels yesterday. It was attended by the Brazilian President, Senhor Vargas.

The total death roll has not yet been announced, but 120 are known to have been killed.

REGISTRATION OF I.N.T.O.

QUESTION IN NORTHERN PARLIAMENT

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

BELFAST, Thursday.

There are no teachers' organisations registered in the Six Counties either as friendly societies or as trade unions, said Mr. J. M. Barbour, Minister of Commerce, in reply to Mr. J. Beattie (Lab.) in the Northern Parliament to-day. The Irish National Teachers' Organisation, the Minister said, was a trade union registered in the Free State, and rendered certain returns to the Six County Registrar of Friendly Societies, and also furnished a list of persons resident in the Six Counties who were authorised to accept service on its behalf.

Mr. Beattie asked if it were a fact that the Irish National Teachers' Organisation was the only teachers' organisation registered in this country in accordance with the laws of the Six Counties.

Mr. Barbour said that his information was that it was registered in the Free State.

Mr. Beattie said that the organisation to which he referred was registered in accordance with the law in the Six Counties, and that no other teachers' organisation had conformed to the law.

Mr. Barbour promised that he would go into the matter on another occasion.

CARNEGIE HERO AWARD

The following award was made by the Carnegie Hero Fund Trustees at Dunfermline yesterday:—Francis Joseph Martin (35), civil servant, Cliftonville road, Glasnevin, Dublin, lost his life on August 23, 1935, while attempting to rescue a woman from drowning in the sea at Moore Bay, Kilkee, County Clare. Martin's parents were awarded a memorial certificate.

At Borris District Court yesterday, Mrs. Ellen Doyle, Kilcroney Mills, Borris, County Carlow, was bound to the peace, herself in £100 and one surety of £100, when she pleaded guilty to being in unlawful possession of three revolvers and ammunition.

GREEK AMNESTY DISPUTE

ARMY AND NAVY SUPPORT KING

FROM REUTER'S CORRESPONDENT.

ATHENS, Thursday.

King George of Greece, already involved in a dispute with General Condylis, the Prime Minister, over the question of an amnesty for M. Venizelos, General Plastiras and other leaders of the March insurrection, was assured to-day of the loyalty of the Army by the War Minister, General Papagos.

Senior naval officers have also sent a message to the King declaring that the Navy is at the King's disposal.

The formation of an "emergency" Cabinet to authorise, in accordance with the King's wishes, the amnesty for all those implicated in the revolt, will, it is expected, be the solution of the continued dissension between the King and General Condylis.

General Condylis and other members of his Cabinet are bitterly opposed to any pardon for the leaders of the March revolt. A big open-air meeting announced for this evening to protest against the inclusion of M. Venizelos in the amnesty has been forbidden by the police.

CITY KIDNAPPING

CHARGE OF ATTEMPTED MURDER

There was a sequel in the Dublin District Court yesterday to the sensational kidnapping affair in St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, when a young man named Kevin Rooney, unemployed baker, of Blackhall street, Dublin, was charged witih conspiracy and the attempted murder of Mr. F. Smith, proprietor, Garry's Bakery, 117 St. Stephen's Green. He was also charged with assaulting Mr. Smith by knocking him down with a revolver, with taking him out of the premiises and forcibly removing him to Rathfarnham, where he was left tied on the roadway until found by some passers-by. Rooney was further charged with being in possession of firearms without a certificate.

Detective Officer Keegan gave evidence of arresting defendant between 12 and 1 o'clock yesterday morning.

Superintendent McGloin, who prosecuted, said that he saw defendant yesterday afternoon at the Bridewell. He placed him in an identification parade with thirteen other men, and he was later identified by Messrs. Smith, Fallon and Duffy, of the firm, as being one of the men who had entered the bakery on Wednesday evening, and who had presented a revolver at Mr. Smith and other members of the staff, and removed Mr. Smith in a motor car. When the charges were read over to the defendant by the Station Sergeant, who cautioned him, he said: "I know nothing about the whole affair."

He was remanded in custody until Monday next.

Captain George G. Bowerman, Headmaster of the Hartshill North Schools, Nuneaton, was killed in front of his pupils at the school yesterday. He was preparing a stage for a concert in the large hall of the school and was getting down from a chair which was on a table when the back of the chair broke. He fell ten feet on to his head and was killed instantly.

TROOPS FOR LIBYA?

AN ITALIAN MYSTERY

BADOGLIO IN ERITREA

TRAIN TO ASMARA BREAKS DOWN

PRESS ASSOCIATION WAR SPECIAL.

GREAT secrecy surrounds the Italian troops movements which have been taken place as a sequel, it is said, to the progress of the sanctions campaign. Efforts to discover the destination of the moving troops and the reason for their transfer were discouraged in Rome yesterday.

It is generally believed that troops are being despatched to Libya, and that the garrisons on the French frontier are being reinforced.

Instructions for "counter-sanctions in the intellectual field" were given by the Italian Minister of Propaganda yesterday. Under these provisions no plays written by authors of sanctionalist nationality, with the exception of Shakespeare and Shaw, may be performed in Italy.

Bernard Shaw's plays are to be permitted because "he is the most brilliant and anti-British of all living British dramatists." Shakespeare's works may be performed because "he was an Elizabethan son of the Italian Renaissance."

NON-SANCTIONIST MUSIC

Cinema and café orchestras, as well as the Italian broadcasting organisation, will perform nothing but Italian and non-sanctionist music, with an occasional French tune. As for cinemas, foreign films, with the exception of those from the United States, have been banned for some time.

Eritrea's narrow-gauge single-track railway train, bringing Marshal Badoglio to Asmara, yesterday broke down half-way, and the Marshal had to finish his journey by car.

Not only in Massawa, but throughout the colony, local Fascists, including native formations, had been rallied in Badoglio's honour. The order to go slow last night was given to the Massawa docks, in which usually there is the same scene of activity by night as by day in the hurry to cope with the unloading programme, so that Asmara may properly be illuminated in Badoglio's honour. As a result of the vast consumption of electricity by cranes and searchlights for night work in the Massawa docks, Asmara, which is on the same power system, has been a veritable corner of "darkest Africa" during the past weeks, with lights failing for whole evenings and at other times dim.

Italy's "Iron Marshal" was greeted by the older Marshal de Bono, who postponed his return to have a final talk with his successor regarding the most recent operations, and also by Staff officers, covered with gold braid, medals and ribbons, and representatives of civilian, naval and military port authorities.

The Italian Command has decided to disarm the population of the occupied territory. This is a reversal of Italian policy of hitherto allowing the Abyssinians to keep their arms as a conciliatory gesture. The Abyssinians who are members of irregular bands led by chieftains who submitted, and who are now fighting on the Italian side, will be permitted to carry Italian rifles. Natives who do not surrender their weapons to the authorities will be severely punished.

A hurricane descended on the Adowa hollow on Wednesday night, creating havoc among the numerous Italian encampments and holding up the supply traffic for several hours.

SANCTIONS MEASURES SATISFACTORY

GENEVA, Thursday.

The sanctions measures banning the export of raw material to Italy are working satisfactorily, according to a statement made by Mr. E. J. Shackle, of the British Board of Trade, at a meeting of the Financial and Economic Sub-Committee of the Sanctions Committee held here to-day.

The Financial Sub-Committee debated a question raised by Belgium in connection with coal exports to Italy—namely, the granting of a strictly limited period, say of fifteen days, for payment to be made on goods delivered.

REPUBLICAN FINED

SEDITIOUS SPEECH AND REPUBLICAN FLAG

DERRY, Thursday.

NINE young men were fined in their absence at Londonderry to-day for incidents during the general election campaign in Northern Ireland.

Action was taken under the Civil Authorities (Special Powers) Act.

Neil Gillespie, of Southend Park, Londonderry, who was the director of the Republican candidate's campaign, and Sean McAdam, of Bogside, Lodonderry, were each fined £5 or two months' imprisonment for making speeches at open-air meetings calculated to cause disaffection It was stated that McAdam urged an audience to join the Republican organisation and to work on until the objective — a Republic — was attained. Gillespie advised them to work on until "the flag of the Republic and not that of a Statelet floated over every blade of grass in Ireland."

The other seven defendants were each fined £5 or two months' imprisonment for displaying the Republican flag at election meetings or in a procession. It was stated that they had been warned that the carrying of the Republican flag is banned in Northern Ireland.

IRISH SOLDIERS LEAVE EGYPT

R.U.R. GOING TO HONG KONG

Enthusiastic crowds thronged the streets of Alexandria yesterday for the farewell march of the 1st Battalion Royal Ulster Rifles, which, headed by its band, marched from the Mustapha Barracks through the main streets of the city. Despite the informality of the proceedings, thousands assembled in the Mohamed Ali square, says a Reuter message.

The crowd in the main street was three deep, and every balcony along the route was crowded. An escort of police, mounted on motor cycles, preceded the battalion.

The battalion is leaving for Hong Kong on December 5th, but Lieutenant-Colonel J. F. Evetts, the Commanding Officer, will remain in Egypt pending his departure for Palestine to take command of the troops there.

THE ARRANMORE DISASTER

COMMITTEE TO ADMINISTER RELIEF FUND

PRESIDENT DE VALERA, at the request of the Editors of the "Irish Times" and the "Irish Press," has invited the following persons to act on a general Committee for the administration of funds subscribed in connection with the recent drowning disaster at Arranmore, Co. Donegal:—

The Bishop of Raphoe, Dr. McNeely (Chairman).
The Rev. John McAteer, P.P., Burtonport.
Mr. District Justice J. O'Hanrahan.
Dr. F. E. Gallagher, Arranmore.
Mr. Hugh Doherty, T.D.
Mr. Michael Og McFadden, T.D.
Major J. Sproule Myles, T.D., M.C.

His Lordship and the six other persons invited all have consented kindly to act on the President's Committee.

The "Irish Times" is sending a cheque for the amount of its fund—roughly, £3,500—to President de Valera.

AIR LINK WITH BRITAIN

PERSONNEL OF THE IRISH BOARD

DIRECTION-FINDING SERVICE

BY OUR AIR CORRESPONDENT.

The air service, which the Minister for Industry and Commerce announced on Wednesday to link Dublin with Liverpool and with Bristol, will have the effect of linking the Free State with many other towns throughout England by air, since several internal air services are operated from the English terminals of the cross-Channel route.

Bristol airport recently installed a radio-communication and direction-finding service—similar to the equipment which the Free State Government is to provide at Baldonnel. On the north-east route to Liverpool the aircraft will be assisted by the radio installation at Barton Aerodrome, Manchester. Speke, the Liverpool aerodrome, has no wireless facilities.

EARLY NEXT YEAR

Advice on the type of equipment required at this side was obtained recently from experts of the British Air Ministry who visited Ireland recently and discussed the matter with Department of Industry and Commerce and Department of Defence officials. The work of installing the apparatus will begin immediately. It had been the Minister's intention to have the service operating before Christmas, but this proved impracticable, and for this reason he told the Dail that it would start "early next year."

I understand that the following is the *personnel* of the Irish Board (nominated by Mr. Sean Lemass) of the operating company:—Messrs. A. P. Reynolds, Sean O hUadhaigh, W. H. Morton (General Manager, Great Southern Railways), and Mr. J. J. O'Leary. Mr. Reynolds was a former secretary of the Irish Aero Club, Ltd., and Mr. O hUadhaigh is the present chairman of that organisation. The English Board, from which the chairman will be chosen, will be nominated by Olley Air Services.

FATE OF THE SENATE

NO PROSPECT OF A SETTLEMENT

BY OUR POLITICAL CORRESPONDENT.

There was much interest in political circles yesterday in the official indication that the Government are determined to put the bill for the final destruction of the Senate into operation. Members of all parties were speculating as to whether the Oireachtas was to be left without any successor to the Upper House, or whether, in fact, some substitute is intended. On this subject Fianna Fail senators and deputies professed complete ignorance. The secret as to whether President de Valera has any plans in this direction still remains his own.

Remembering his more recent statements on the subject, it would appear to be safe to say that, for the present at all events, a one-Chamber Parliament is to operate.

The Abolition Bill will, I understand, be contested to the fullest possible extent both in the Dail and the Senate, even though many members of both Houses feel that the Upper House, as now constituted, no longer claims the respect which it had formerly achieved.

The motion to send the bill back to the Senate will be discussed in the Dail next Thursday, and will be before the Senate on the following Wednesday.

FREE STATE TRIUMPH

CANADIAN SHOW SUCCESS

(SPECIAL TO THE "IRISH TIMES.")

TORONTO, Thursday.

Giving a magnificent display of riding, the Free State team won the Military Officers' Team Challenge Trophy at the Royal Horse Show here last night.

Out-riding the Army teams of five other nations, the Irish Free State riders incurred only seven faults over a tricky course, and won the trophy, donated by the Hon. Howard Ferguson, who was formerly Canadian High Commissioner in London.

The popularity of the Irish victory was demonstrated in no uncertain manner when 12,000 spectators rose to their feet and cheered loudly, after which the band struck up "My Wild Irish Rose."

The Dutch team finished second with twelve faults. Each team comprised three riders, who traversed the course in turn. Commandant O'Dwyer led the Free State team with a perfect performance on Blarney Castle. Then Glendalough, with Captain Lewis riding, incurred three faults, and Gallow Glass, with Captain Ahearn up, had four faults.

ISOLATIONISTS IN THE DAIL

SCENES OVER SANCTIONS

MR. BELTON'S BIG EFFORT

QUARTET CRYING IN THE WILDERNESS

BY OUR SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE.

DEPUTY BELTON, with the somewhat passive assistance of Deputy Kent, yesterday plunged the Dail into bewildered and furious confusion. He had tabled a motion on the Order paper, which read: "That the League of Nations (Obligations of Membership) Bill be, and is, hereby annulled." It took thirty-four minutes at the start of public business to decide how the motion should be debated, and at the end of that period it is safe to say that Deputy Belton was unenlightened.

First of all, Deputy MacDermot, a long, barbed hook in the side of Deputy Belton all day, wanted to know on what principle time was given to the motion at all. "It savours more of a county council than a chief legislative assembly that we should be asked to rescind something which we have only just passed," he said. Deputy Belton, in some triumph, pointed out that any order could be made void if an annulling motion was passed within twenty-one working days of its inception; and the Vice-President supported him. The first difficulty was surmounted—the motion was in order. Then, however, two other snags arose. The Chair, in accordance with certain regulations, fixed a time-limit to the debate of one and a-half hours; and—of vital import—decreed that the matter of sanctions might not be mentioned. The Order only was to be discussed. I believe Deputy MacDermot was voicing the general opinion of the House when he said that he was worried about what Deputy Belton could find to say if sanctions were out of bounds. If there was to be any kind of intelligent discussion of the motion, Deputy Belton would have to go back over old ground; and since the Chair had forbidden such a course, Deputy MacDermot looked forward with the keenest enjoyment to no discussion at all.

LEAGUE "WOBBLING"

Deputy Norton now put forward the dreadful suggestion that Deputy Belton would continue to talk for the allotted span, from 9 p.m. until 10.30, without giving anyone else a chance. He demanded protection from the Chair, which was freely granted in advance. Then Deputy Mulcahy demanded a speech from the President, on the grounds that there had been "wobbling" in the League of Nations since the bill was passed; and pretty well everyone else began to put forward his view at the same time. With determination Mr. Fahy said: "The Chair will hear no more"; and we moved on to the Imposition of Duties Bill.

At 9 p.m., or a little earlier, Deputy Belton came into the House with a large volume of indistinguishable significance. Later it turned out to contain the tenets of the Covenant of the League. The House was packed, and they were standing in the public gallery. Deputy Belton began. By 9.4 p.m. he had reached the economic war, in the shape of the "rigid sanctions imposed upon us by Great Britain"; and in some surprise Deputy Hogan, in the chair, said: "Surely the deputy has left the Order already?" From now until the adjournment Deputy Hogan literally did not enjoy a quiet moment. "If we have obligations we have rights," thundered Deputy Belton, "and if we have rights we have obligations." "This line of argument is entirely out of order," said Deputy MacDermot. "Ah, now, you sit down," cried Deputy Belton, in the extremes of irritation. "I take strong exception to these interruptions of Deputy MacDermot's," continued the speaker; "his sneers should be made somewhere else."

In the ensuing difference of opinion Deputy Kent, seconder of the motion, was heard to make some observation about the "importation of camels," but his exact meaning was obscure. "We should not give anyone aid in starving the women and children of Italy," said Deputy Belton; "they were the only nation who sent us a note of sympathy when the Black and Tans were here." Amid the resultant uproar Mr. O'Kelly denied that any such note ever had been received. Deputy Belton accepted the explanation, but made his point by crying: "Well, anyway, they never did us any harm." He crashed his way to the end of his speech in really dramatic fashion, mentioning the Abyssinian way with slaves, describing Deputy MacDermot as "another vicar on earth," and closing with a really moving appeal for a free vote. He gave way to Deputy Kent.

"BLACK-AND-TANS"

Deputy Kent uttered, perhaps, two dozen words before the Chair pulled him up. "I submit to your ruling, but I don't follow it," said Deputy Kent, scratching his white head. "I don't know where I can begin now." Eventually he picked on the lack of sympathy afforded us by the British Government over the Black-and-Tans, "who mercilessly slaughtered our kith and kin," and then compared the President, extremely favourably, with Parnell, "our great national hero." The Chair intervened, and in his next breath Deputy Kent clearly mentioned the economic war. A spontaneous cry of appreciation broke from the House. Deputy Kent concluded with the ancient glories of the Italian nation in "the golden days." The motion remained free of his attention.

CONCLUSION

Subsequently Mr. de Valera said he scarcely could make any reply, since there was nothing in sight to which he could make relevant answer; and Deputy Belton rose to conclude. He began on Japan and Manchukuo, more slavery, military obligations, and conscription; and Deputy MacDermot asked if all this was in order. It was the last straw. "I want no imperialist like Deputy MacDermot butting in all the time," shouted Deputy Belton, very, very angry. He started to read out a newspaper article on slave traders at the top of his voice. Deputy MacDermot was standing up, crying "On a point of order, on a point of order"; but the sound of his voice was negligible in comparison with the roar of Deputy Belton.

At 10.30 the motion was put to the House. "Who wants a division"? cried several voices. The Chair asked those who did to stand. Deputies Belton, Kent, Anthony, and—by all that was wonderful—a Government back-bencher rose to their feet. He was Deputy Sean Hales, and he cast just one glance at the grim Government front bench. The motion was defeated without a count.

KING THANKS EX-KAISER

Prince Frederick of Prussia, youngest son of the ex-Crown Prince of Germany, arrived at Doorn House yesterday from London, where he attended the funeral of Earl Jellicoe. The Prince conveyed the thanks of King George and Lady Jellicoe to the ex-Kaiser for the wreath which the ex-Kaiser sent as a tribute to the late Earl.

NO MAYOR OF SLIGO YET

ELECTION AGAIN ABORTIVE

FURTHER MEETING TO-DAY

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

SLIGO, Thursday.

A FRESH complication has arisen in the Sligo Mayoralty problem which the Corporation this week has made five futile attempts to solve.

There was a full attendance of twenty-one members at to-day's meeting when the final poll took place between Mr. Conlon (Labour) and Mr. Patrick Flanagan (Republican). The candidates are not eligible to vote, as a salary is attached to the position, and when the result of the division was announced as Conlon 10 and Flanagan 9, Mr. S. H. Derham, Legal Adviser, declared that as ten was not a majority of the number present, which included the candidates, the election was consequently void.

At the outset of the meeting a Civic Guard and Sanitary Inspector were endeavouring to keep the gallery clear when the door was rushed by a crowd of young men, who packed the space allotted to the public. The Town Clerk telephoned to the barracks, and some minutes later a number of uniformed Guards and detectives arrived and took up duty inside the barrier.

Messrs. M Hughes (Fianna Fail), M. Conlon (Labour), and P. Flanagan (Republican), were nominated, and the voting was—Flanagan 8, Conlon 7 and Hughes 3. On the latter being eliminated the voting was:

For Conlon—Alderman Fallon, Councillors Tolan, McMorrow, Kelly, Gallagher, Rooney, Keighron, John Hughes, Michael Hughes and Finan—10.

For Flanagan—Alderman Lynch, Alderman Williams, Alderman Depew, Councillors Mulligan, T. O'Hara, P. O'Hara, O'Connell, Browne and Joyce—9.

MUST GET MAJORITY

Mr. Derham solicitor, said that as there were twenty-one members present the successful candidate must get not less than eleven votes. The candidates could leave the room if they wished. Mr. Conlon said that he was willing to leave, and proceeded to do so. When the other candidate, Mr. Flanagan, made no move to follow his example, Mr. Conlon, at the behest of his supporters, returned to his seat.

An adjournment was then made for ten minutes, and when Alderman Lynch resumed the chair, Messrs. Hughes, Conlon and Flanagan were again nominated. Mr. Hughes was eliminated after the first vote, and again the final poll resulted in ten votes for Mr. Conlon and nine for Mr. Flanagan. The Law Adviser stated that the time schedule for the election did not expire until midnight on Friday.

The Council adjourned until noon to-morrow.

FROM "THE TIMES"

(*BY SPECIAL ARRANGEMENT*)

AMERICA AND NEUTRALITY

In an editorial article *The Times* observes to-day:—Mr. Roosevelt's Presidency has been remarkable for many departures from traditional American policies. Some of them are of interest on this side of the Atlantic, chiefly as examples to be followed or—it may be—to be avoided; but the recasting now in progress of American conceptions of neutrality is of immediate and direct concern. Whatever may be the case with the N.R.A. and the A.A.A. and other portions of the "new deal," it seems to be beyond question that the interpretation of neutrality adopted by him and by his Secretary of State (Mr. Cordell Hull) in the case of Abyssinia is accepted by the great mass of American opinion as applying not only to this, but to all future, wars. It is a dangerous misreading of the facts to see any connection between the efforts which the President is making to discourage trade with both the belligerents and the economic pressure which the League of Nations is bound by its Covenant to apply to one of them.

During the debate in Congress on the Neutrality Act the ruling desire was to prevent America from becoming involved in the wars of others through the activities of her traders. It was felt that peace could be secured only by taking the profits out of war, and the widest meaning was given to this maxim. The current, almost the universal, legend in the United States nowadays is that the country was dragged into the Great War largely to protect the great interests which had become involved through loans and the supply of munitions, and this participation is now too often regarded with profound disillusionment. Time and history will eventually supply a corrective, but the case for the present trend of opinion is obvious enough.

The discouragement, adds *The Times*, of the export of oil and other materials of war, as Mr. Cordell Hull calls them, will, however, make practicable the prohibition by the League Powers of the supply of oil to Italy, as contemplated by the resolution passed by the Economic Sub-Committee three weeks ago, that the prohibited list should be extended to oil, steel and coal as soon as conditions necessary to render this extension effective have been achieved. In the same way, prohibition by the League Powers will help the President to make his discouragement effective. Let it be repeated that this does not imply any collusion between Washington and Geneva.

FURNITURE TRADE DISPUTE

AGREEMENT WITH RETAILERS

A wage of 2s. per hour for male French polishers, cabinet-makers, chair-makers, and wood-cutting machinists, with a 44-hour working week and holiday arrangements, was agreed to by the Dublin furniture retailers at a conference yesterday. The unions had also demanded a wage of 1s. 4d. per hour, with the same working week, for the female polishers. After a lengthy discussion, the employers agreed to pay a wage of 1s. 1d. per hour. This was adopted by the unions, subject to ratification by their members.

As a result of this settlement the strike notices served on the retailers have been withdrawn.

No offer, however, has been made by the Dublin factory owners in connection with the same demand. Should no conference take place between the parties to-day the members of trade unions in the Dublin factories will withdraw their labour as from to-night. The mattress-makers and upholsterers are still on strike, and no further effort has been made to reach a settlement of their demands.

Herr Baldszus, leader of the United German Party in Memel, formed a Directory (Government) yesterday. The three members all belong to the German party.

DUBLIN'S WATER SUPPLY

MILLION GALLONS MORE PER DAY

PENDING LIFFEY SCHEME

BOHERNABREENA PIPE TO STILLORGAN

PROPOSALS to increase the city's water supply by one million gallons per day by laying an additional pipe line from Bohernabreena to the service reservoirs at Stillorgan will be placed before the Corporation on Monday next. The cost is estimated at £25,000.

The General Purposes Committee of the Corporation have approved reports submitted by the City Manager and the City Engineer urging the necessity for immediately taking steps to ensure that the water supply to the city shall not be interrupted in the coming summer, and in future summers, pending the putting into operation of the proposed joint hydro-electric and water scheme at Poulaphouca, or, alternatively, the provision of a permanent city water supply scheme.

Failure to reach an immediate understanding with the E.S.B. on the proposed joint scheme to utilise the waters of the Liffey has necessitated the present proposals. It is no longer possible to wait.

In his report to the Committee the City Manager stated that since the partial turning off of the city water supply for a short period last summer the situation has been carefully watched, and, although there had been abundant rain for nearly two months past, not merely has no relief come in the general water position, but actually the levels of the water in the Stillorgan storage reservoirs have continued to fall.

DELAY BY E.S.B.

"If prompt action by the E.S.B. had followed upon the raising of the question by the City Engineer in 1932," the report goes on to state, "the temporary measures now necessary would not have been required. The extremely long delay on their part, in spite of several promises for definite decisions at definite times, has forced the Corporation into its present position, and the heavy cost now to be incurred by the Corporation for a temporary security measure must be taken into account in considering any future arrangements to be made with the E.S.B. in respect of a permanent joint water and hydro-electric supply."

Mr. M. A. Moynihan, City Engineer and Surveyor, states in his report that the service reservoirs at Stillorgan were designed to contain 180 million gallons of Vartry water, and were normally to have that supply available for the use of the city, should any major accident occur to the pipe lines from Roundwood reservoir. The draught from these reservoirs has now become greater than the supply to them, and they now contain only a little over half their capacity. Should a case of sudden damage occur between Roundwood and Stillorgan, the risk was apparent. To leave the supply safe for a period of five or six years—by which time the Liffey scheme might be in operation—he proposed to have such works executed as would enable an additional delivery of one million gallons per day for from four to five months of the winter and spring. This would enable them to start the summer with the Stillorgan reservoirs full: and, unless the citizens went in for an unusual orgy of waste, there need not be any apprehension regarding the maintenance of a continuous supply of water during the period indicated.

FROM BOHERNABREENA

The tributaries of the Dodder river which feed the Corporation reservoir at Bohernabreena, the report continued, discharge during the winter and spring a quantity of water far in excess of what that reservoir can contain. His proposal was to take that extra water across 4½ miles to the filtration plant at Ballyboden, and thence by 5½ miles of pipes to the reservoirs at Stillorgan.

Prompt action was absolutely essential if the available water was to be obtained for next summer's service, and to avoid the delay that a Local Government Department inquiry would entail, before a loan for the purpose it was proposed to utilise an unexpended balance of £8,000 from a former loan. The balance could be provided for in the next estimates. As soon as sanction could be obtained the work could be proceeded rapidly, as the pipes he proposed would be laid at the rate of one mile per week.

UNITED FARMERS' CONVENTION

RESOLUTIONS TO BE PROPOSED

"We regard the present Cottage Purchase Bill, as well as the past fourteen years' land, currency and National Loan measures, as nothing more than well-conceived devices to expedite and perpetuate a system of economic slavery for the wealth-producing section of the Irish people; our total of attainments afford convincing evidence of lamentable weakness, coupled with inefficiency or incompetence, on the part of our Government. We see no possible hope of the regeneration of our country, except through speedy unity in a national industrial brotherhood."

This resolution, it was stated at a conference of the United Farmers' Protection Association, Mr. Martin Dolan, Dublin, presiding, yesterday, is one of a number that will be submitted to the annual convention of the association in January next.

Another resolution calls on the Government to set up a relief scheme for the purpose of maintaining people whose livelihood had been confiscated since 1921.

Daily demands on farmers for income tax are referred to in a resolution from the national executive of the association. They appeal to the Government to absolve all land annuity paying farmers from income tax assessments pending the obvious adjustment of those financial burdens.

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FREE STATE AND SANCTIONS

DEBATE IN THE DAIL

"NOTHING TO ANSWER," SAYS MR. DE VALERA

In the Dail last night, Mr. P. BELTON (Independent, Dublin County) moved:—

"That the League of Nations (Obligations of Membership) Order, 1935, be, and is hereby, annulled." The motion stood in his name and that of Mr. R. Kent.

Mr. BELTON said that they in no way challenged the authority of the Executive Council in making the Order, but they questioned the wisdom of it. The case made for the Order was their obligation as a member of the League.

The President had at no time stated that they should take this line regardless of whether there were obligations or not. The only person who made that point was Senator Blythe in the Senate. He (Deputy Belton) wanted to show that they had no obligations if they had no rights.

There was, he said, no reason why the Free State Government should interfere in a matter which did not concern it. They objected to any attempt being made by the Executive Council, to aid in the smallest possible way in starving the women and children of Italy. The obligations of the Covenant prompted the Order, and provided also that the Executive Council might be asked for military aid.

The DEPUTY SPEAKER said that there was nothing about food or military aid in the Order.

Mr. BELTON said that there were arrangements in finance which automatically precluded them from sending food to Italy. He had met no one who was in favour of the Order.

FREE VOTE URGED

"I challenge the President now, and the leader of the Opposition, to say that they will take off the Whips and let this vote go free."

Mr. McGILLIGAN—The Whips are off, so far as this party is concerned.

Mr. BELTON—I am glad to hear that. Will the President take them off? If he does not the country will know the value of his claim that the country is behind him in this matter.

Mr. W. R. KENT (Independent, Cork, E.), seconding the motion, referred to those who had fought for faith and fatherland all down the golden ages, and said that it would make sad reading for generations yet unborn that an Irish Parliament had passed such a measure against one of the grandest Catholic countries in the world. It would be one of the blackest pages in the history of our people.

Mr. KENT, concluding, referred to the President's work at Geneva, and said:—"Not since the days of Parnell, the great leader of the Irish people, has there been a leader in whom I have such implicit confidence as in our President at the present moment."

Mr. NORTON (Labour, Kildare) referred to "the institution which poses as a Government in Italy."

The DEPUTY SPEAKER intervened on the question of relevance, and, after a further calling to order, Mr. Norton sat down.

Mr. ANTHONY (Ind., Cork City) said that he did not see why this country should be involved in a war with which it was not concerned. He regarded the Order as an act of war.

THE MILITARY MACHINE

Mr. MacDERMOT (Ind., Roscommon) said that the Order only legitimately could be challenged when it did not conform with the decision taken by the Dail a fortnight ago. The military machine was hit by hitting the people and by creating a bad financial condition. It was not possible to separate the people from the military machine. There was no sense in the statement that they were undertaking military action.

Mr. P. McGILLIGAN (U.I.P., National University) said that in voting in favour of the prohibition of exports to Italy they should face the issue that they were doing so against a country which undeniably was a great Catholic nation, and that they were, if necessary, going to starve Italian women and children. No one should vote for the measures, either one way or another, except with a stern conviction of duty. It was no use their saying at some future time that they had not been aware of what they were doing. They should realise that if they hit at the civilian population there might be brought about a state of revolution, and the last state would be worse than the first.

PRESIDENT'S REPLY

President DE VALERA said that it was impossible to reply to some of the arguments put forward; for they were altogether outside the terms of the motion. No reason had been given for annulling the measures they had taken, except that, in general, sanctions should not be imposed. That question had been considered by the House, and powers were being given to the Executive Council to bring in orders of that sort. There was nothing in the order contrary to the principles accepted by the House when the bill was before it. Because there was nothing contrary to them, the speakers had avoided the issue, and gone back to discuss the question that had been discussed in its general principles when the bill was under discussion.

In regard to the suggestion of wobbling, the proposal number one was in effective operation in forty-eight States, members of the League; number two in forty-seven; numbers three and four in forty-three, and number five in forty-two. There was no indication of wobbling in that. The purpose behind sanctions was to prevent, if possible, aggression, such as Italy had been held to be guilty of in Ethiopia. He had heard no arguments except the one of wobbling that could be related at all to the motion. He had, therefore, nothing to answer, and he was not going back on the broader question as to whether they should or should not impose those sanctions, which had been decided very definitely by the House.

Mr. BELTON—There was not a man in that House who would vote in favour of military sanctions.

President DE VALERA—There is no moral or legal obligation to impose military sanctions.

FOUR FOR MOTION

When the division was called Deputies Belton, W. R. Kent (Ind., Cork E.), R. S Anthony (Ind. Lab., Cory City) and T. Hales (F.F., Cork E.) stood up, and the Speaker said that the motion was defeated. The division was not taken, and the four deputies were recorded as voting in favour of it.

The Dáil adjourned until to-day at 10.30.

A SURCHARGE OF £86

From Our Correspondent.

GALWAY, Thursday.

At Galway Urban Council meeting to-day a letter from the Local Government Department was read regarding a surcharge in respect of the costs of proceedings in 1933 to compel the Government to elect Mr. Brown, Town Clerk. The Department wrote inquiring if payment had yet been made, and stating that if not arrangements should be made without further delay to meet the costs.

The Town Clerk (Mr. S. Willmot) said that the amount of the surcharge was £86 5s. 3d.

Miss Ashe—I disagree with that being pushed on to the rates. Whoever instituted the proceedings at the time should be men enough to pay the costs.

The Town Clerk promised to find out who was responsible for the payment.

Mr. Brown has recently been appointed Secretary to Laoighis Board of Health.

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ARRANMORE VICTIMS

TWO FUNERALS YESTERDAY

SIXTH MEMBER OF ONE FAMILY

BURTONPORT, Thursday.

The bodies of two victims of the Arranmore disaster—a man and a girl—which were found on Wednesday nearly four miles away from the spot where nineteen persons lost their lives on the night of November 9th, when their boat overturned between Burtonport and Arranmore Island, were identified to-day as those of Patrick O'Donnell and Miss Hannah Gallagher.

They were buried on Arranmore Island to-day.

Patrick O'Donnell was one of the harvesters returning from Scotland at the time of the disaster.

Miss Gallagher, who was a daughter of Mr. Edward Gallagher, another victim, was the sixth member of her family recovered from the sea. Her father's body is still missing.

Our Derry Correspondent last night telegraphed that the bodies of Patrick O'Donnell and Miss Hannah Gallagher were buried in the grave wherein nine other victims of the disaster were interred a fortnight ago. Owing to the strong gale and heavy seas it was impossible to make the five-mile journey from the mainland to the island. Father M'Ateer, the parish priest, was unable to cross over, and the Funeral Service, therefore, was conducted by the curate, Father Bernard Gallagher, who had been comforting the mourners during their night vigil in the little island church.

After the Service in the church the coffins were borne to the graveyard by the islanders.

Particulars of the funeral were broadcast in short messages from the island post office and picked up at Burtonport.

The body of Paddy O'Donnell was identified by Mrs. Kavanagh, who had come from Scotland for the previous funeral. She recognised the blue jersey he had worn when he visited her last in Scotland.

THE MODERATOR'S FUND

TRIBUTE TO ULSTER GENEROSITY

Speaking at a luncheon after the ordination of Mr. Rupert Gibson, as minister of Clogher Presbyterian Church yesterday, the Moderator of the General Assembly (the Right Rev. A. F. Moody, D.D.), made special reference to Ulster's generous response to his appeal in aid of sufferers through the Arranmore disaster.

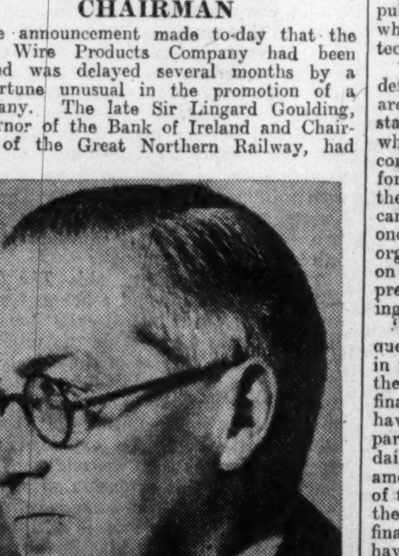
During the past few weeks, he said, I have witnessed a wonderful and spontaneous expression of the true and authentic spirit of the Protestant religion. After the tragedy to the Arranmore islanders I ventured to insert a notice in the Press—to whose co-operation I am deeply indebted—offering to forward any subscriptions entrusted to me for the relief of the stricken families. I did it, expecting to be severely censured by those who set artificial limits to the application of the Golden Rule, but confident that He who told the story of the good samaritan would approve. I now joyfully and proudly confess that I underrated the generosity of my fellow-Ulstermen. Hundreds of letters reveal a vast volume of good-will, and voice, I am convinced, the sentiments of what is best and noblest in our province. I have been debtor more than most people to the unmerited kindness of my fellow-men, but this flood of approval will remain among the most precious experiences of my life.

Condemning letters were under—well under—one per cent., and—a fact of hopeful significance—with one exception they were without name or address. Which simply means that, in spite of intellectual sophistry, their hearts condemn the writers. These denunciatory letters suggest a further observation on the misuse of the word Protestant. It is not etymologically an ideal word. It is too negative. But historically it does stand for something very spiritual and very vital. We must not allow it to be removed out of the spiritual sphere and turned into a political label. All classes of people have a right in this free country to air their views in a reasonable way, but they have no right to use a name of deep religious meaning to commend a purely political and sometimes definitely anti-Christian policy. Protestantism is built upon the doctrine of the supreme authority of the Bible. Let us reserve it to enforce only those things which Christ has commanded.

NEW IRISH COMPANY

DUBLIN SOLICITOR AS CHAIRMAN

The announcement made to-day that the Irish Wire Products Company had been formed was delayed several months by a misfortune unusual in the promotion of a company. The late Sir Lingard Goulding, Governor of the Bank of Ireland and Chairman of the Great Northern Railway, had



Mr. Plunkett Dillon.

accepted the Chairmanship of the Board of Directors a few weeks before his death. His loss necessitated finding a successor, and, in response to the request of the other directors, Mr. J. Plunkett Dillon, the well-known Dublin solicitor, agreed to take the chair.

For the past fifteen years Mr. Dillon has been senior partner in the firm of John L. Scallan and Co., solicitors to the company.

Amongst the other companies of which Mr. Dillon is a director are Eustace and Co., Ltd., Cork, builders' providers, saw mill owners and timber merchants; and Francis Spaight and Sons, Ltd., Limerick.

ESSENTIALS OF PROSPERITY

MINISTER ON FREE STATE PROBLEMS

TRADE, INDUSTRY AND CONFIDENCE

The annual meeting of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in Ireland was held last night in the Royal Hibernian Hotel, Dublin. Mr. Hugh Boyd, F.C.A. (President), presided.

Dr. P. Jacobsson, of the Bank of International Settlements, Basle, a member of the Banking Commission, in proposing the toast of "The Prosperity of Ireland," said that on the Continent there was a great deal of misunderstanding about Ireland. When he first came here he thought of all he had heard about "poor Ireland," and then he found that Ireland was a creditor nation. There were only seven or eight creditor nations in the world, and he thought it was very wonderful that Ireland should be one of them. There was nothing, in his opinion, more important for the independence of a country and for the possibility of developing its resources, than that it should be in the position of a creditor nation. It meant that in the past there had been people who had been able to save.

He found that a great deal of these savings came from the war period, when the agriculturists had been able to sell at good prices. To his astonishment he had found one country that had kept some of its war profits. The main industry of the country—agriculture—had made it a creditor nation.

A stranger coming to this country could not help being struck by the initiative and enthusiasm shown in building up new things that would give Ireland a more varied economic life. That was a great task, and he hoped that what was built up would be able to resist the vicissitudes of fortune. The industrial development of Ireland was greatly helped by Government assistance, and in that Ireland was no exception. He thought that the members of their profession could help greatly in building up a well-informed public opinion in regard to Government business.

MR. LEMASS'S REVIEW

Mr. Sean Lemass (Minister for Industry and Commerce), responding, said that all parties and sections sincerely desired the prosperity of their country, but as to how it could be most effectively secured they were by no means unanimous. Dealing with conditions in the Free State, he said that in the past year there had been a considerable improvement in the external trade. The twelve months just closed saw an increase in the export trade of £1,250,000, and a reduction in the adverse balance of nearly £3,000,000. The increase in the weekly average of Dublin banks' clearings of notes, bills and cheques, which was regarded as evidence of greater commercial activity, was supported by the satisfactory and sustained increase in railway traffic receipts, and by the substantial rise in motor car sales—particularly of commercial vehicles, which was the more noteworthy because a contrary tendency might have been expected in consequence of the operation of the Road Transport Acts.

The considerable rise in the total of depositors' balances at the Post Office Savings Bank was indicative of the improved conditions among the workers; and that was also supported by the fact that the number of persons in employment insurable under Unemployment Insurance Acts, in this year, as in each of the past three years, constituted a record for the Saorstat.

There were, however, other factors which were less satisfactory, and which prevented any feeling of complacency. The principal of these was the depression of agricultural prices, the decline of which commenced in 1930 and persisted until the middle of 1933. Since the latter date they had remained more or less stationary, although the tendency was still downward, if anything, as evidenced by the decline of 1¼ per cent. in the Saorstat agricultural price index in August, 1935, as compared with August, 1934—a decline which must, however, be compared with a decline of 5 per cent. in the British index during the same period.

Agriculture was the basic industry, and there could be no feeling of economic security, no real confidence of increased prosperity in the future, unless a more satisfactory relation could be second between the farmers' costs and agricultural prices, so that the great industry of agriculture could be carried on profitably.

That was not a problem peculiar to this country, although special circumstances might make it acute. It is a problem, he said, with which all Governments are struggling and of which none appears to have found a solution.

THE REAL PROBLEM

"We are a small nation," said Mr. Lemass, "and our resources are not large, but they are adequate, if properly developed and utilised, to serve our needs, to give us a standard of living that will be at least sufficient. Our future prosperity depends on the discovery and the efficient development and utilisation of those resources. It is not merely a matter, however, of opening up new industrial possibilities, or exploring our mineral wealth, or planning a sounder system of agriculture, but one of organisations—organising production, distribution and consumption, and it is in that respect that we have much to learn—that all mankind has much to learn, because the outstanding lesson of the post-war period is mankind's inability to use effectively for the public good the immense powers of production which the discoveries of scientists and technicians have made available.

"There are some who contend that the defects in the world's economic organisation are due to a misuse of money, a misunderstanding of the functions of money. A whole literature has grown up around that contention, and whether there is foundation for it or not I do not know. In so far as the defects are defects of organisation, it cannot be wholly true, although money is one of the main instruments of economic organisation. Perhaps we will get more light on this when the Banking Commission has presented its report, to which we are all looking forward with considerable interest.

"There is a much wider public interest in questions affecting banking and finance than in the past. Those who have been preaching the gospel of a new world based on a new financial system, have achieved this; they have engendered a wider realisation of the parts which money and credit play in our daily lives, and created a livelier desire among the public to understand the working of the existing system. Those responsible for the direction of banking institutions and financial houses in this and other countries have been disposed in the past to keep their operations too much shrouded in mystery. The public desire to be enlightened on the matter, to know whether the financial machine is as efficient as is represented. In a period of world depression, for which no very obvious cause exists, men are disposed to be critical of existing institutions.

"Let me say that I do not believe that there is any magic formula to which the gates of prosperity will open. On the contrary, the path to recovery will be a long and laborious one, but as the people bend their backs to their labours, they desire to feel assured that they are not unnecessarily burdened by too strict an observance of out-worn rules, or antiquated conceptions of responsibilities on the part of those who direct their commercial finances.

BANKS ANIMATED BY GOOD-WILL

"It is my duty to say that I, during the period I have been associated with industrial policy, have had no evidence that the directors of Irish banks have been animated by any feeling other than good-will to our programme of industrial development. The progress which had been made with the industrialisation of the country would not have been accomplished if such had not been the case.

"There are, however, matters more fundamental than the immediate problems of this State—matters on which many minds are working in all countries, and which are arousing public interest to an increasing extent—the problem of productive capacity utilised, of needs unsatisfied, of potential abundance and actual scarcity. Whether that problem can be solved by one method or another, by social credit or social services, by Communism or Fascism, or Hitlerism or democracy, it is the product of the present system, and that system must solve it or be replaced."

Captain R. P. C. Gotto, O.B.E., president of the Belfast Chamber of Commerce, also responded.

OTHER TOASTS

Proposing the toast of the "Institute of Chartered Accountants in Ireland," Alderman J. Hubbard Clark (president of the Dublin Chamber of Commerce) said that the Institute recognised no boundary, and its Council was representative of all Ireland. Recent legislation in Ireland and elsewhere was largely responsible for the prominence and success which the profession had attained.

The president of the Institute (Mr. Hugh Boyd, F.C.A., Belfast), who presided, responding, said that it was the aim of the Institute to maintain a very high standard of integrity in business. There were now so many points of contact between them and the business community, where a beneficial influence had been exerted, that the moral effect on the commercial life was out of all proportion to their numerical strength. They greatly appreciated the consideration shown them by Government departments, North and South, whenever they wished to discuss with those departments matters on which, from their experience, they felt they were informed.

In recent years the increase in their membership was greater in the Free State than in Northern Ireland, thus tending to bridge the gulf between North and South.

The toast of "The Guests" was proposed by Mr. Thomas Geoghegan, F.C.A.

Dr. E. J. Gwynn, Provost of Trinity College, said that the establishment of a School of Commerce in the University would be a great assistance to the business community. He felt that the country was in a sound condition, and the success of the recent Loan Conversion showed that the country had considerable trust in the stability of our finances.

Mr. R. W. Bankes (Secretary of the Institute of Chartered Accountants in England and Wales) and Mr. C. Lavery, K.C., T.D., also responded.

The attendance included:—Messrs. H. Allberry, A.R.I.B.A., President, Royal Institute of Architects of Ireland; R. C. Barton, Chairman, Agricultural Credit Corporation, Ltd.; Robert Bell, F.S.A.A., Chairman, Belfast and District Society Incorporated Accountants and Auditors in Ireland; F. C. Bewley, M.A., A.C.A.; Major A. G. Birch, Joseph Brennan, Chairman of the Currency Commission; G. Brock, F.C.A., Vice-President, Institute of Chartered Accountants in Ireland; R. F. Browne, Chairman, Electricity Supply Board; the Rev. J. Canovan, S.J.; Alderman J. Hubbard Clark, President, Dublin Chamber of Commerce; J. P. Colbert, Chairman, Industrial Credit Corporation, Ltd.; W. E. Crawford, F.C.A., Secretary and Treasurer, Institute of Chartered Accountants in Ireland; P. Dempsey, Department of Industry and Commerce; Senator J. G. Douglas, Professor G. Duncan, M.A., F.T.C.D.; R. C. Ferguson, Assistant-Secretary, Department of Industry and Commerce; John Healy, Chief Examiner of the High Court; Sealy Jeffares, G. L. Kennedy, President, Dublin Stock Exchange; T. F. Laurie, Chairman, Dublin Port and Docks Board; E. F. Collins, President, Incorporated Law Society; C. Lavery, K.C., T.D.; the Lord Mayor, Thomas S. Martin, Governor of the Bank of Ireland; Dr. G. P. Moore, J. J. McElligott, Secretary, Department of Finance; the Very Rev. Fergal McGrath, S.J.; Hugh McHoul, A.C.A., Secretary, Dublin Society of Chartered Accountants; Dr. George O'Brien, Professor of Political Economics, N.U.I.; W. O'Brien, Chairman of the Revenue Commissioners; Dr. M. H. O'Connor, A. R. Ormsby, F.C.A., Chairman, Dublin Society of Chartered Accountants; Senator B. O'Rourke, J. M. Peate, President, Insurance Institute of Ireland; H. Stevenson, F.C.A., Joint Secretary, Institute of Chartered Accountants in Ireland, and Belfast Society of Chartered Accountants; Jas. Taylor, Chairman, Belfast Stock Exchange; A. J. Walkey, Hon. Secretary, Society of Incorporated Accountants and Auditors in Ireland; P. F. Walsh, Managing Director, Agricultural Credit Corporation, Ltd., and R. J. Walsh, F.C.A., Chairman, Belfast Society of Chartered Accountants.

A BELFAST LAUNCHING

NEW UNION CASTLE LINER

NAMED BY PRINCESS ALICE

From Our Correspondent.

BELFAST, Thursday.

Princess Alice, Countess of Athlone, performed the naming ceremony at the launch to-day of the Athlone Castle at Messrs. Harland and Wolff's shipyard. The 25,000 ton motor ship, Athlone Castle, is a mail, passenger and cargo vessel for the Union Castle Line's South African service.

Princess Alice was accompanied by the Earl of Athlone, who was Governor-General of South Africa from 1923 to 1931.

To-day's launching ceremony was witnessed by a distinguished company, including the Governor of Northern Ireland (the Duke of Abercorn), who is a director of the Union Castle Line; the Prime Minister (Viscount Craigavon), the Lord Mayor (Sir Crawford M'Cullagh, Bart.), members of the Northern Cabinet, the Chairman of the Union Castle Line (Mr. Robertson F. Gibb), the deputy-chairman (Sir Vernon Thomson, K.B.E.), the chairman and managing director of Messrs. Harland and Wolff (Mr. F. E. Rebbeck, D.L.), Mr. Charles Payne, C.B.E., D.L.; Mr. Henry Harland, Mr. A. T. Marshall, and other representatives of the builders' firm.

THE LUNCHEON

The Earl and Countess of Athlone, the Duke of Abercorn, and other distinguished guests were afterwards entertained to luncheon by Messrs. Harland and Wolff. Mr. F. E. Rebbeck, chairman of the company, presided.

The Earl of Athlone proposed the toast of the "Athlone Castle and the Union Castle Co."

At one time, he said, Britannia ruled the waves, in every sense of the expression; but, owing mainly to the use of subsidies, other countries came into competition with us, and he was told that more pains were taken by their competitors in caring for the comfort and pleasure of passengers than was the case in our own ships. "This may be so, and complaints against British Lines should not fall on deaf ears, but for general efficiency our ships stand alone and unbeaten. The question of paying more attention to the whims and conveniences of passengers is a very important one, and I would far rather travel by a less luxuriously decorated ship and have just those comforts one is accustomed to have on *terra firma.*"

On behalf of Messrs. Harland and Wolff, Mr. Rebbeck presented to Princess Alice, to remind her of the occasion, a silver jewellery case. Mr. Rebbeck expressed the thanks of the firm to her Royal Highness for the great honour she had done them by launching the Athlone Castle. The box, he said, when she no longer used it, could be a cigar box for the Earl by removing the plush lining. (Laughter.)

Expressing thanks for the gift, Princess Alice said it would be a souvenir of the first ship it had ever been her privilege to launch and one bearing the name of her husband. It had been a real pleasure to come to Belfast and to perform what had always proved a most impressive and moving ceremony.

Sir Vernon Thomson, Deputy Chairman of the Union Castle Mail Steamship Co., Ltd., proposed the toast, "The Builders."

Mr. F. E. Rebbeck, D.L., J.P., Chairman and Managing Director of Harland and Wolff, Limited, replying to the toast, thanked Sir Vernon Thomson for the appreciative way in which he had referred to the firm.

Mr. Robertson F. Gibb, Chairman of the Union Castle Company, replying to the toast of the Athlone Castle and the Union Castle Line, said that the Athlone Castle had been launched under the happiest of auspices, and he knew that they would all share in the hope expressed by the Earl of Athlone that it would have a happy and prosperous future.

Mr. Charles Payne proposed the toast of "Our Guests." Responding, the Prime Minister (Viscount Craigavon) said that they all looked upon themselves as shareholders in the great firm of Harland and Wolff, and they wished it every prosperity and advancement.

REMOVING DOUBTS

LAND PURCHASE LEGISLATION

THE GUARANTEE FUND

The bill introduced in the Dail on Wednesday by Mr. Sean MacEntee, Minister for Finance, has now been circulated. It is a short measure, and, as its title indicates, is intended to remove doubts as to the liability of the Guarantee Fund under the Land Purchase Acts for recoupment of deficiencies in the Purchase Annuities Fund, and to define such liability, and provide for certain matters relating thereto.

The sections are as follow:—

1.—(1) In order to remove doubts, it is hereby declared and enacted that:—

DEFICIENCIES

(a) Every deficiency in the Purchase Annuities Fund arising (whether before or after the passing of this Act) by reason of the non-payment of purchase annuities is a charge on the Guarantee Fund, and may lawfully be paid and made good out of that fund to the Purchase Annuities Fund at such time or times, and in such manner, as the Minister for Finance shall, either generally or in respect of any particular case, direct; and

(b) Sub-section (4) of Section 6 of the Purchase of Land (Ireland) Act, 1891, as amended or extended by subsequent enactments, and all regulations made under that sub-section (as so amended or extended) for the time being in force, apply, and have effect in relation, to every payment out of the Guarantee Fund to the Purchase Annuities Fund made for the purpose of making good any such deficiency as is mentioned in the next preceding paragraph of this section, in like manner and in all respects as the said sub-section (as so amended or extended); and the said regulations apply to a payment made out of the Guarantee Fund to the Purchase Annuities Fund for the purpose of making good any such deficiency as is mentioned in Sub-section (1) of the said Section 6.

ANNUITIES FUND

(2) Such deficiency in the Purchase Annuities Fund, as is mentioned in the foregoing sub-section of this section, shall be deemed to have arisen whenever (whether before or after the passing of this Act) the amount received by the Irish Land Commission on or before any 31st day of January or 31st day of July in respect of instalments of purchase annuities payable into the Purchase Annuities Fund which accrued due in the half-year ending on such 31st day of January or 31st day of July (as the case may be) falls short of the full amount of all such instalments.

2—This Act shall come into and be deemed for all purposes to have been in force as on and from the 1st day of April, 1932, and accordingly every payment or deduction made or other thing done, on or after the 1st day of April, 1932, and before the passing of this Act, in relation to or for the purposes of the Guarantee Fund shall be and be deemed always to have been as lawful and valid as such payment, deduction, or thing would have been if this Act had been passed before (as the case may be) such payment or deduction was made or such thing was done.

Cattle Burned.—A fire, which occurred accidentally at Mr. Luke Mythen's farm at Oulart, Co. Wexford, destroyed the outhouses, together with a quantity of corn. Two cows and a bullock were burned to death, and a horse escaped from the burning buildings with slight injury.

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Cases Struck Out at Kilmallock.—At Kilmallock District Court yesterday a number of cases arising out of scenes at Kilmallock on St. Patrick's Day on the occasion of a Blue Shirt parade were struck out, as there was no repetition of the occurrences.

MURDER CHARGE AGAINST DOCTOR

AN EDINBURGH WITNESS

WOMAN'S COLLAPSE IN COURT

Dramatic evidence was given at Lancaster yesterday by Mrs. Jeanie Nelson, a sister of Mrs. Ruxton, when the hearing of the double murder charge against Dr. Buck Ruxton was resumed. He is accused of the murder at Lancaster between September 14 and 29 of Mary Jane Rogerson, his children's nursemaid, and his wife, Isabella Ruxton.

Mrs. Nelson, who was in the witness-box practically all the morning, collapsed once under the strain.

HIRE OF A CAR

Henry Hodson, a Morecambe garage proprietor, first gave evidence of offering Dr. Ruxton a car while his own was being repaired. The doctor said that the car was not large enough. He then went to another garage for a car. Dr. Ruxton's hand was bandaged at the time, and he said he was opening a tin and it had slipped, nearly severing his little finger.

Three weeks later Dr. Ruxton told him that he was tickled to death. He added that the police had been questioning him about the "ravine job in Scotland," and he thought it was a joke.

Evidence was given of the hire of a fawn and brown car by Dr. Ruxton for one and a half days. On September 18 the doctor called at the garage for his own car, and left the hired car. He was served on September 15 at a Lancaster garage with four gallons of petrol in two tins.

SISTER'S EVIDENCE

Mrs. Jeanie K. Nelson, a sister of Mrs. Ruxton, said that she lived at Bothwell street, Edinburgh. In 1920, she said, her sister was manageress in an Edinburgh restaurant.

Mrs. Nelson further gave evidence of her sister's movements, and said it was after her sister had gone to London that she heard of her marriage to Dr. Ruxton, as he was then called.

ALLEGATION OF GASSING

She described a visit that she paid to Lancaster following a telegram from Dr. Ruxton. Dr. Ruxton told her that her sister had tried to take her life by gassing herself. "He said," went on Mrs. Nelson, "she had tried it before, that she denied it, but he was confident it was not an accident, and that she was trying to disgrace him and to ruin him. He enumerated all her faults. I asked whether it was not a bit to do with himself."

Mr. Paling—What did he say to that?—He said no, that he was a good and loving husband, that she had a lovely home, and had three meals a day.

Later she had a talk with her sister in the bedroom in Dr. Ruxton's presence. He demanded that his wife should tell her sister the truth. He said the truth was she was trying to injure him by trying to take her life. She maintained it was an accident. "He slapped her face," said Mrs. Nelson, "to try to make her speak—to urge her to tell me the truth.

He then cooled down and said he believed her; that I was not to attempt to take his children from the house."

LETTER READ IN COURT

Mr. Paling read a long letter to Mrs. Nelson, which it was alleged Dr. Ruxton wrote, in which he said he was broken-hearted and half-mad, as his wife had again left him. He said that there was no end to the bills he had been receiving. She had bought clothes and other things to the extent of over £100 from a shop in Lancaster. Evidently, the letter added, she has been backing horses. In the letter Dr. Ruxton stated: "I cannot knock sense into her; she is highly impulsive, and thinks she can be a millionaire overnight."

Another passage was:—"I have a temper, but I have a strong sense of provocation now and again. In spite of that I am terribly fond of my belle. How could she be so heartless as to leave me like that? I want you to help me to get my home together. I am simply distracted. I cannot even get my mind on the practice. You must ask her on your own to come back to me."

The case was adjourned until to-day.

Brisk Demand for Horses.—Not for many years has there been a more brisk demand for horses than at Cavan fair yesterday. Young horses made from £28 to £40.

PUBLIC SAFETY ACT

OPERATION NOT TO BE SUSPENDED

PRESIDENT DE VALERA AND ORGANISED CRIME

In the Dail yesterday, Mr. WILLIAM NORTON (Labour, Kildare) asked the President of the Executive Council whether it was intended to revoke the Order bringing into force the provisions of Article 2A of the Constitution, in view of the unpopularity of that Article.

President DE VALERA replied that the answer was in the negative. Although there had been considerable improvement in the situation in recent months, organised crimes of violence were still occurring with which the ordinary Courts were unable to deal, and the Government felt that the time had not yet arrived when it would be justified in suspending the operation of that Article. He need hardly assure the deputy that it was with reluctance that the Government invoked the Article in the first instance, and they would be only too anxious to suspend its operation.

Mr. NORTON asked if the President was aware that the provisions of the Act were bitterly resented by national and democratic organisations throughout the country, and further asked what set of circumstances now justified the continuance of that Act.

The PRESIDENT said that he was quite aware that there was considerable opposition to the operation of the Article, but as organised crimes were still occurring the Government felt that it would not be doing its duty in suspending the Act.

Mr. NORTON asked the President if he thought that the organised crimes of violence justified tyranny of that kind.

The SPEAKER said that was a separate question.

Mr. R. S. ANTHONY (Ind. Lab., Cork City)—Do I understand that the Labour Party repudiate their association with the Constitution Amendment Act, and that the Labour Party will not now support the President in this Act?

The SPEAKER said that also was a separate question.

Mr. MULCAHY (U.I.P., Dublin N.) asked if any of the crimes of violence were equal to the Fianna Fáil Party wiping out the Courts and the Senate, and imposing burdens on local authorities which they were unable to bear.

The SPEAKER said that was a separate question.

Mr. MacDERMOT (Ind., Roscommon) asked if the President could say whether in the fortnightly conferences with the Labour Party he had come to the conclusion that he only disliked tyranny when it could not be applied against political opponents.

DIRECTOR OF FORESTRY

Mr. LEMASS informed Mr. Norton that a German national had been appointed as Director of Forestry. Applications for the post had been received from Saorstat nationals. Having regard to the expansion proposed in the work of the forestry division, and the consequent importance of the post, it was necessary to secure the services of an officer having the highest qualifications in forestry science, together with experience of administration. Applications were accordingly invited by advertisement and through the usual diplomatic channels from Europe, the United States of America and Great Britain. Applications from highly competent men in most of these countries were received. These were reviewed by a Selection Board appointed by the Minister for Lands, and the appointment was made by the Minister on the recommendation of that Board. The candidate appointed had excellent technical qualifications, considerable practical experience of forestry operations on a large scale, and of forestry administration. He also had an extensive knowledge of the timber trade. The appointment at present was on a temporary basis for a period of one year, was non-pensionable, and carried a salary of £1,300 per annum inclusive, with the usual Civil Service travelling expenses and rates of subsistence allowance.

Mr. JOHN GOOD—Has the person appointed a speaking knowledge of Irish? (Laughter.)

Honour for Enniskillen Man.—Dr. David Duff, a native of Enniskillen, has been invested with the C.M.G. by the Acting Governor of the Gold Coast. Dr. Duff is a son of the late Mr. John Duff, Secretary of the Sligo and Enniskillen Railway, and a brother of Mrs. John West, Rossahilly, Enniskillen.

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A BEFORE DINNER STORY : NEW DOMINIONS SECRETARY

THE HARBOUR of Lindau on the Bodensee.

MR. MALCOLM MACDONALD, who, although not elected to the British Parliament, has been appointed Secretary of State for the Dominions, photographed while at work at Whitehall after the first Cabinet meeting.

BOYLE, the Leinster wing three-quarter, kicking for touch when hard pressed during yesterday's inter-provincial Rugby match against Connaught, at Lansdowne road, Dublin. Left: The Connaught XV.

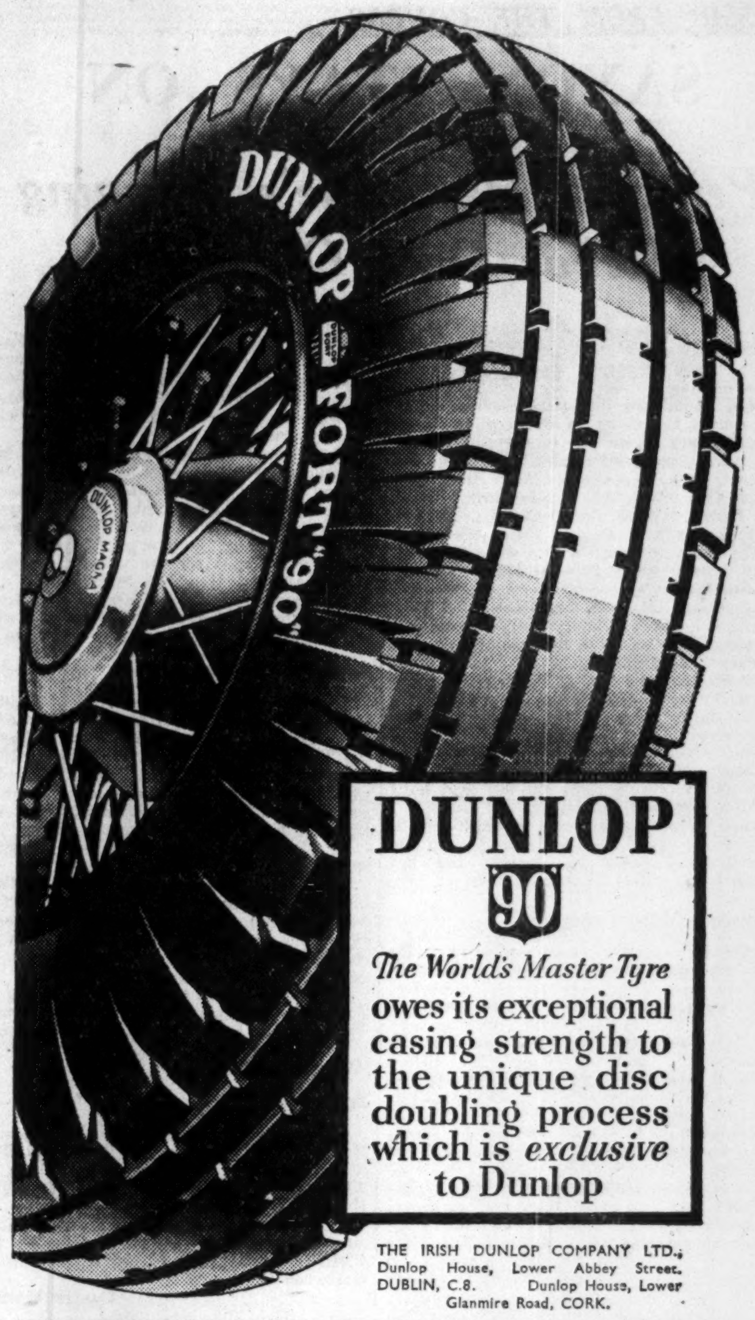
A BEFORE DINNER STORY—Mr. Sean Lemass, Minister for Industry and Commerce, and the Lord Mayor, Alderman Byrne, T.D., enjoying a joke with their host, Mr. Hugh Boyd, F.C.A. (President, Irish Institute of Chartered Accountants), before last night's dinner at the Royal Hibernian Hotel, Dublin.

A GROUP taken at yesterday's Royal City of Dublin Hospital Linen Guild "At Home" at the hospital. Included are: Mr. Seton Pringle (President of the Royal College of Surgeons in Ireland) and Mrs. Pringle; Mr. W. R. Burgess, Mrs. Stoney, Mrs. Wylie, Dr. Robert Stumpf, Miss Stokes (Matron), Mrs. English, Mrs. Darley and Mrs. J. X. Murphy.

THE PUPPETS' DANCE—A scene at yesterday's rehearsal of the play, "The Siege of Ping," which is to be the prize-day entertainment at Alexandra School, Dublin.

MISS M. McCARTHY and members of the Association of St. Nicholas Good Fellowship Circle rehearsing the concert items which they will give at their entertainments to hospital patients during Chrismas.

JUDGING entries at the Irish Gardeners' Association's chrysanthemum show at 1 and 2 Westmoreland street, Dublin, on Wednesday night.



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A Saorstat Fruit Exchange, the first of its kind in the country, has been established in Dublin at 4 Mary's Abbey, off Capel street, where wholesale traders and distributors in the fruit trade will be able to buy in public auction, at the ruling market prices, supplies of the highest grade fruit, imported direct to Dublin from the Spanish ports. It is expected that weekly auctions will be held, beginning on December 2nd next. The fruit consignments will be brought to Dublin by a fortnightly service inaugurated yesterday by the Limerick Steamship Company, Ltd., in co-operation with the Irish Iberian Trading Company, importers and exporters, and with Connolly Shaw (Ireland), Ltd., fruit brokers.

Two of the Limerick Steamship Company's boats, the Clonlara and the Lanahrone (1,250 tons), each of which is fitted with up-to-date refrigerating and ventilating equipment, will run from Valentia, Gibraltar and Spanish Morocco direct to Dublin.

The first consignment for the new Saorstat Fruit Exchange arrived yesterday morning on the Clonlara, which berthed at the Alexandra Basin with a cargo of 15,000 cases of oranges and onions, together with a smaller consignment of olive oil, wines and other Spanish products, which trade it is hoped to develop in the near future.

The captain of the Clonlara, Mr. J. Reynolds, a County Louth man, with over twelve years' service with the Limerick Steamship Company, was met on his arrival by Mr. J. O'Keeffe, Limerick Steamship Company; Mr. N. P. McAvoy, of Connolly Shaw, Ltd.; Mr. A. Martin, Irish Iberian Trading Company; and Mr. M. Waters, Dublin agent of the Limerick company, who superintended the unloading during the day. Captain Reynolds reported that the ship had been very favourably received in the Spanish ports, and that she and the sister ship are regarded as being ideal for the fruit service.

Recently Mr. O'Keeffe and Mr. Martin visited the principal ports of Spain and made arrangements for the shipment of only the finest quality of fruit and other produce. As a result of this new service the home market will be directed from Ireland and not from Spain, as formerly, and wholesale traders and distributors will be saved the cost of travelling to the Liverpool Exchange for their supplies. The Limerick Steamship Company for some years past has been engaged in a live stock and potato export trade by way of Greenore to Spain. Under the new service their boats will have an assured cargo on the inward voyage, and, more important still, the former cattle and potato trade will be guaranteed on a regular fortnightly basis. The boats will fly the Spanish flag, the Tricolour and the house flag of the Limerick Steamship Company.

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GOSSIP FROM THE COURSE

SAXON STAYS ON

Princess Herodene's Winning Debut Over Obstacles

FROM OUR TRAVELLING CORRESPONDENT.

NEWBURY, Thursday Night.

FURTHER rain during the previous night caused the going to be very heavy at Newbury, and in consequence there were some unexpected results. Not one clear favourite was successful. And How, who won the first race, was a co-favourite. Radnor, a runner in the Round Oak Hurdle, fell dead at the last obstacle. His rider, Mr. C. V. Jackson, escaped with a shaking.

Mr. A. Gemmell's Princess Herodene, who showed good form at the end of the flat racing season, made a successful *début* over obstacles in the Newbury Juvenile Maiden Hurdle. She won the race mainly on her stamina and speed.

After taking the lead at the turn for home she lost ground two hurdles from the finish by a faulty jump. Her speed, however, took her into the lead again at the final hurdle, which she pushed through with her forelegs. Still in front, though tired, the grey filly was able to retain her lead until reaching the winning post.

Cairo ran well all the way to finish fourth. Sans Pride came with a strong run in the last hundred yards to deprive the hot favourite, Beresfell of second place.

Requires More Practice

O'Grady requires more practice. He dashed away to the first hurdle with Beresfell, but stopping to measure his stride he lost ground which he was never able to recover.

Mr. M. Stephens's Lynton, carrying only 9st. 11lb., with the apprentice allowance deducted for C. Hook, stayed on to beat Belted Hero in the Cranborne Handicap Chase. Last year Lynton was third to Remus in this race.

Remus, who is a bold jumper—he stands over seventeen hands—made most of the running. When he took the last fence in front of Belted Hero it appeared that he had only to go on to repeat last year's victory. Instead, however, Remus, who was dead tired, almost stopped. After Belted Hero had gone on, Lynton came with a strong run to pass him nearing the post. Aureate Earth was pulled up after jumping badly.

Mr. Ben Warner added to his Free Fare winnings when Saxon carried his colours successfully in the Round Oak Handicap Hurdle. Saxon, who is a French-bred gelding, stayed better than Pahokee, who was favourite.

After Defiant had led until between the last two hurdles Pahokee went to the front, but he was run out of it on the flat by Saxon. Capricho, who was with the leaders for most of the journey, weakened from the final jump.

Brilliant riding by George Archibald was mainly responsible for the victory of Heavy in the Andover Handicap Steeplechase. As Khris Kingle went to the last fence in front Archibald sent Heavy at the obstacle with a great leap which took him to the front.

And How's Success

And How, who won the Yatesbury Selling Hurdle, has deteriorated since he defeated a smart field of hurdlers in the Weyhill Handicap Hurdle on this course in January, 1934. Arctic Star, who finished second, won the Cesarewitch in 1928. These two horses drew away approaching the last hurdle, and And How was the stronger finisher on the run in.

Mr. C. V. Tabor, the owner of Arctic Star, bought the winner for 150 guineas.

Ferrans likes the Newbury course. Following a failure at Birmingham earlier in the week he won the Alfriston Selling Steeplechase here to-day. He was successful in the corresponding race last year and also at the January and February meetings here.

Grovella, who was made a hot favourite, led the field until approaching the last fence. Then Ferrans took it up and finished almost in a walk. He was subsequently bought in for 100 guineas.

Selections

At Kempton Park to-morrow the November Handicap Hurdle may be won by VICTOR NORMAN, the Amateurs' Steeplechase by ARC DE TRIOMPHE, and the Wimbledon Hurdle by LE PETIT PIERROT.

At Haydock NEWMARKET should notch another victory in the Bryn Hurdle, and PRINCE BRABANT is my choice for the Garswood Hurdle.

GALTEE MORE.

NORMAN GLORY NAPPED

Newmarket May Score Again at Haydock

SOME high-class performers over the minor obstacles are due to run in the November Handicap Hurdle at Kempton Park to-day. They include Tibere, who on his first appearance of the season at Birmingham on Monday last finished a creditable third to Sir Troops and Alvarado.

The fact that he was favourite indicated that H. Whiteman had the six-year-old in something like his best form. He looked all over a winner going to the last flight of hurdles, then the weight began to tell and he was run out of it on the flat. Although he has some better-class horses to beat this time, he has 13lb. less to carry. I think Monday's race will have sharpened him up.

Wenceslas is reported to be fitter now than when he failed behind Loustic at Liverpool, though I remember that he never showed in that race. Nisona had a very consistent record on the flat. It is probable that she will be one of the fittest candidates in the field. Moreover, it must be borne in mind that her trainer, Walter Nightingall, has a fine record of winners at jumping meetings on this course.

Blair's charges have been winning races with wonderful regularity during the past couple of months. I shall be surprised if Victor Norman does not add to the total before long; for he ran well in the race won by his stable companion, Kentapelle, at Sandown Park last month. Dusty and Pompier were behind him that day. Pompier is expected to improve on that display. I note that he has 9lb. less than he carried into second place in the corresponding race last year.

Enchanter has been a little disappointing, though there was a lot to like about him when he just missed a place in the event won by Bright Armour at Wolverhampton less than three weeks ago. I select

TIBERE,

though he may not have much to spare over Nisona.

Dusky Troubadour may be beaten by his penalty in the Amateurs' Handicap Steeplechase. Dream Ship, who showed himself to be in form when he ran fourth to Brienz at Birmingham, appears to be a better proposition with 8lb. less to carry.

Woolworths is in form, and Arc de Triomphe defeated seven opponents in comfortable style at Nottingham. I take my chance with

NORMAN GLORY,

who was beaten by only a short head over a similar distance at Lingfield Park last week. He may have most to fear from Dreamship.

Birthday Honour, who was going well when he came down at Lingfield, is expected to atone in the Wimbledon Hurdle. I have a slight preference for

LE PETIT PIERROT,

because of his good race against Cactus II. last time out.

David's Gain, well schooled at Newmarket; Coolavach and Armagnac appear to be the pick for the Sunbury Steeplechase. My choice is

COOLAVACH,

who is reported to be well fancied.

Visitors to Haydock Park will have an opportunity of seeing Lord Sefton's smart jumper,

NEWMARKET,

in the Bryn Hurdle. He has taken very little out of himself in his two races, and I fully expect to see him score his third successive victory.

NEWBURY RESULTS

1.0—**YATESBURY SELLING HURDLE RACE** of 150 sovs. 2 m.
Mr. W. R. Sadler's b. g. AND HOW, by Sansovino—Carmel, 6, 12-0 ....D. Butchers 1
Mr. C. B. Tabor's ARCTIC STAR, a, 12-0 G. Pellerin 2
Mr. A. O'Connor's JULY FOLLY, 4, 11-10 J. Marshall 3

Also ran—Uncanny II. (R. Burford), Deserter (Mr. J. H. Foster), Nazira (W. Parvin), Pomelo (Mr. J. Gordon), Knocklyon (M. Burke), Islandbridge (T. Elder), Marsters (G. Flippance), Clear Diamond (K. Piggott), King's Counsellor (A. Waudby). Off 1.3. (Winner trained by Butchers.)

Betting—4 to 1 each agst. AND HOW and Islandbridge, 9 to 2 July Folly, 6 to 1 each Uncanny II. and King's Counsellor, 8 to 1 Nazira, 10 to 1 Pomelo, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/-)—Win, 11/9; places 5/6, 9/3, 5/-.

Won by four lengths; three lengths. King's Counsellor was fourth and Marsters last.

The winner was sold to Mr. C. V. Tabor for 150 gns.

1.30—**ALFRISTON SELLING STEEPLECHASE** of 150 sovs. About 2 m. 50 yds.
Mr. A. Smith-Bingham's b. g. FERRANS, by Meleager—Bright Star, a, 12-3 J. Moloney 1
Captain A. L. C. Fuller's GROVELLA, a, 12-3 W. Parvin 2
Mr. J. R. Williamson's SYDNEY, a, 12-3 Mr. R. Petre 3

Also ran—Holy Knight (H. Nicholson), Render (Mr. F. Walwyn), Silver Park (Mr. B. Mytton), Firework (G. Wilson). Off 1.30. (Winner trained by Beeby.)

Betting—11 to 8 agst Grovella, 3 to 1 FERRANS, 7 to 1 Render, 10 to 1 each Firework and Sydney, 100 to 7 Holy Knight, 20 to 1 Silver Park.

Tote (2/-)—Win, 5/9; places 2/6, 2/3, 5/3.

Won by two lengths; six lengths. Render was the only other to finish.

The winner was bought in for 100 gns.

2.0—**NEWBURY JUVENILE MAIDEN HURDLE RACE** of 400 sovs. Three years old. 1½ m
Mr. A. Gemmell's gr. f. PRINCESS HERODENE, by Son and Heir—Herodene, 10-4 P. Prendergast 1
Mr. J. W. Rank's SANS PRIDE, 10-4 J. Fawcus 2
Mr. M. H. Benson's BERESFELL, 10-4 G. Wilson 3

Also ran—Thimble Rig Jimmy (W. Parvin), Cairo (J. Richardson), Flying Admiral (J. Hamey), The Jesuit (S. Magee), Sandstar (H. Nicholson), O'Grady (F. Maxwell), Birthdate (S. Ingham), Rubin Wood (G. Archibald), Wonston (S. Warren), Idtoi (A. Jarvis), The Sow's Ear (W. Hollick), Golden Melody (E. Gayton), Lorenzo (K. Piggott), Gleamer (D. Butchers), Swift Love (D. L. Jones) Off 2.2. (Winner trained by Mairs.)

Betting—13 to 8 agst. Beresfell, 11 to 2 O'Grady, 6 to 1 Flying Admiral, 10 to 1 each The Jesuit and Wonston, 100 to 8 each Thimble Rig Jimmy and Cairo, 100 to 7 each PRINCESS HERODENE and Swift Love, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/-)—Win, 73/6; places, 13/6, 21/9, 2/6.

Won by a length and a half; same. Cairo was fourth, Golden Melody last.

2.30—**CRANBORNE HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE** of 250 sovs. 3 m.
Mr. M. Stephens' ch. g. LYNTON, by Blue Ensign—Watersmeet, a, 9-11.........C. Hook 1
Lord Penrhyn's BELTED HERO, a, 12-7 M. Feakes 2
Sir E. Wills's BLAZE, 6, 10-5.........W. Parvin 3

Also ran—Remus (S. Magee), Cooleen (J. Fawcus), Aureate Earth (Mr. J. Gordon), Spionaud (D. Holland), Keen Blade (T. Elder), Brave Cry (A. Scratchley), Oudenarde (Mr. P. Herbert). Off 2.31. (Winner trained by Blair.)

Betting—9 to 4 agst. Belted Hero, 4 to 1 Aureate Earth, 6 to 1 Remus, 10 to 1 each Cooleen and Brave Cry, 100 to 8 LYNTON, 100 to 7 any other.

Tote (2/-)—Win, 34/6; places, 5/3, 3/9, 11/6.

Won by four lengths; same. Remus was fourth, Brave Cry last.

3.0—**ROUND OAK HANDICAP HURDLE RACE** of 200 sovs. 2 m.
Mr. B. Warner's ch. g. SAXON, by Apelle—La Petite Sotte, 5, 11-2.........G. Pellerin 1
Mr. H. A. Brown's PAHOKEE, a, 11-4 S. Ingham 2
Mr. R. Griffiths's CAPRICHO, 5, 10-7 H. Haley 3

Also ran—Transelton (G. Wilson), Cold Bird (J. Hamey), Jimmy's Pet (Mr. P. Vaux), Prince Alloway (D. Butchers), Madam Butterfly (E. Gayton), Brim (F. Maxwell), Pharsalus (D. Martin), Radnor (Mr. C. Jackson), Ard-ri (S. Magee), Defiant (F. C. Taylor), Styx River (M. Feakes), Santello (F. Sergeant), Good Show (P. Kinsella). Off 3.3. (Winner trained by Gwilt.)

Betting—9 to 2 agst. Pahokee, 5 to 1 Brim, 6 to 1 Capricho, 7 to 1 Transelton, 8 to 1 each SAXON and Madam Butterfly, 10 to 1 each Radnor and Defiant, 100 to 8 each Jimmy's Pet and Good Show, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/-)—Win, 40/6; places, 10/3, 4/9, 5/9.

Won by two lengths; three lengths. Cold Bird fourth, Brim last.

3.30—**ANDOVER HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE** of 150 sovs. About 2 m. 50 yds.
Capt. L. Montagu's b. g. HEAVY, by Heverswood—Lomina, 5, 11-9 ....G. Archibald 1
Mr. C. A. Lundy's WOOLLY, a, 10-7 F. Maxwell 2
Mrs. G. V. Wilkinson's KHRIS KINGLE, 4, 11-5 ....Nicholson 3

Also ran—Delapaix (J. Moloney), Sea Rover (A. Waudby), Golden Acre (K. Piggott), Smoky Moke (T. McNeill), Free Wheeler (R. Burford), Rocket (S. Warren), Vive l'Amour (E. Williams), Haytor (R. Morgan), Squire Morris (W. Parvin), Briscoe (A. Scratchley). Off 3.30. (Winner trained by Earl.)

Betting—100 to 30 agst. Khris Kingle, 4 to 1 Delapaix, 5 to 1 Vive l'Amour, 7 to 1 HEAVY, 10 to 1 Squire Morris, 100 to 7 each Rocket, Woolly and Smoky Moke, 20 to 1 any other.

Tote (2/-)—Win, 24/6; places, 6/-, 11/9, 3/6.

Won by four lengths; two lengths. Haytor was fourth, Sea Rover last.

TOTALISATOR DAILY DOUBLE (10/- stake)—Princess Herodene and Saxon—Dividend £247 11/-; pool £1,375 10/-; five winning tickets.

FREE HANDICAP FOR TWO-YEAR-OLDS

BALA HISSAR THE BEST OF THE YEAR

The Free Handicap, for two-year-olds, compiled by Mr. Arthur Fawcett, the Jockey Club Handicapper, was published in yesterday's *Racing Calendar*.

The Handicapper has taken a bold line in allotting premier position to Bala Hissar, a colt, who has won only one race and who has not yet been pitted against such proved performers as Abjer, Bossover c. and Mahmoud.

In spite of that, there will be few to disagree with Mr. Fawcett's estimate, even though there is little collateral form upon which to justify it. Bala Hissar, who is owned by H.H. Aga Khan, is a son of Blandford, and is a half-brother to Theft.

In inspired racing circles there are two schools of opinion regarding the season's crop of two-year-olds. One avers that they are well up to the average, the other that they are moderate in comparison with those of other years. Only next year's racing can definitely settle the question.

Mr. Fawcett had several intricate problems to solve. It is obvious that he has placed more reliance upon the running in the Champagne Stakes at Doncaster than upon that in the Middle Park Stakes at Newmarket.

In the Doncaster race, Mahmoud won by three-quarters of a length from Abjer, with Bossover c. third, two lengths behind. In the Free Handicap, Mahmoud and Abjer are coupled together at 9st. 6lb. Bossover c. has been given 9st. 3lb.

Appended are the first twenty in the handicap. There will be an acceptance on December 10th:—

	st.	lb.		st.	lb.
Bala Hissar	9	7	Tideway	8	13
Abjer	9	6	Desert Night ...	8	13
Mahmoud	9	6	Midstream	8	12
Monument	9	4	Dan Bulger	8	12
Bossover colt	9	3	Chiberta	8	12
Daytona	9	2	Harina	8	12
Prince Aly	9	2	Barra Sahib	8	11
Sansonnet	9	1	Boswell	8	11
Crosspatch	9	0	Veuve Cliquot ...	8	11
Swift Arrow	9	0	Black Speck	8	11

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KEMPTON PROGRAMME

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS

St. Margaret's Hurdle—**Bleu de Roi II.**
Uxbridge Steeplechase—**Swanmead.**
November Hurdle—**Tibere.**
Amateurs' Steeplechase—**Norman Glory.***
Wimbledon Hurdle—**Le Petit Pierrot.**
Sunbury Steeplechase—**Coolavach.**

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.

Norman Glory (Kempton) and **Newmarket** (Haydock).

1.0—ST. MARGARET'S MAIDEN SELLING HURDLE RACE of 150 sovs. 2 m.

	Age	st.	lb.
LORD SWIFT (Mr. G. Bennett) Owner	5	12	2
ORBIA (Mrs. L. Carroll)......F. Brown	a	12	2
HAREBY (Mr. A. S. Chapman) Bisgood	6	12	2
MONKEY PUP (Sir W. Chilcott) Chilcott	5	12	2
BLUE NOSE (Mr. I. Z. Davis) ...Thrale	5	12	2
GEORGIAN (Mr. J. Harris)......Lefebve	5	12	2
BLEU DE ROI II. (Mr. Hylton) W. Smyth	5	12	2
OCARINA (Mr. E. G. Langford) Private	5	12	2
PROHIBIT (Mrs. Livingstone) G. Langlands	5	12	2
COTY (Mr. A. B. Mildmay) H. Whiteman	5	12	2
PRETTY OBVIOUS (Mr. Nunneley) Nunneley	a	12	2
WATTEAU (Mrs. E. M. Tabor) ...Tabor	5	12	2
SAXON (Mr. B. Warner)............Gwilt	5	12	2
KNIKI (Capt. Wilson) ....Whitaker	6	12	2
REVISION (Mr. A. Barrow)...J. Waugh	4	11	10
FAIR DEAL (Mr. G. B. Bates) E. Harper	4	11	10
FILS D'AMOUR (Mr. J. Beary) J. Beary	4	11	10
KOPPIT (Mr. G. Bennett) G. Bennett	4	11	10
WESTERN WAVE (Mr. Curtis) Killalce	4	11	10
ROWANBERRY (Mrs. D. P. Dick) Dick	4	11	10
TIDEBROOK (Mr. C. S. Green) E. Piggott	4	11	10
FELTON ROSE (Mr. J. H. Hall) J. Hall	4	11	10
BELINE (Maj. P. J. C. Honner) Honner	4	11	10
FELDSPAR (Mr. J. Pendarves) Pendarves	4	11	10
JUDGE'S MARSHAL (Mr. Smith) Hammett	4	11	10
WING COMMANDER (Mr. P. Thrale) Thrale	4	11	10
WOOLSEY II. (Mr. J. Bird) G. Wilson	3	10	5
FREE POSTAGE (Mr. H. Savill) Poole	3	10	5

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
000	LORD SWIFT ....G. Wilson	9/2
	or	
042	KOPPIT ....G. Wilson	9/2
0	BLUE NOSE ....T. Elder	100/6
020	BLEU DE ROI II. ....R. Smyth	3/1
4	PROHIBIT ....M. Feakes	100/6
	COTY ....Owner	100/6
	PRETTY OBVIOUS .... ———	100/6
	WATTEAU .... ———	100/6
	KNIKI ....W. O'Grady	100/6
030	FAIR DEAL ....F. Gurney	7/1
43	FILS D'AMOUR ....Mr. Forbes	8/1
	WESTERN WAVE...............J. Hamey	100/6
	ROWANBERRY .... ———	100/6
	TIDEBROOK ....K. Piggott	100/6
0	FELTON ROSE..................W. Kidney	100/6
	FELDSPAR ....W. Redmond	100/6
	JUDGE'S MARSHAL ....W. Parvin	6/1

1.30—UXBRIDGE SELLING HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 150 sovs. 2 m.

	Age	st.	lb.
LE BOULANGER (Mr. J. R. Canty) Canty	a	12	7
ARMETTA (Mr. S. T. Challis) W. Gurney	6	12	7
SWANMEAD (Capt. H. Dixon) ...Vivian	5	11	8
LOVELY HEROD (7lb. ex.) (Sir Warden Chilcott) ....Chilcott	a	11	5
LADY MARGARET II. (Contesse E. de Pret-Roose) ....C. Langlands	a	11	2
MANON (Mr. D. A. Jackson) ...Powell	a	11	0
LONGMYND LAD (Mr. P. G. Philcox) Kerr	a	11	0
RELATION (Mr. P. Cohen) ....Powell	a	10	13
SONG O' MY HEART (Mr. J. L. Hall) J. Hall	a	10	12
IMPI (Mr. J. Pendarves) ......Pendarves	a	10	12
JACK KETCH (Mrs. C. W. Bloomfield) G. Bowsher	a	10	10
QUATORZE (Mr. J. Nightingall) J. Nightingall	a	10	8
AIRBLOOM (Mr. R. N. Willett) Willett	a	10	7
YARMOUTH (Mr. R. C. Symonds) H. Whiteman	a	10	4
MOUNTAIN IMAGE (Mr. D. Dale) Dale	a	10	0
ARTUS (Lady Warrender) ......H. Brown	6	10	0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
000	LE BOULANGER.........D. McCarthy	100/8
314	ARMETTA .... ———	8/1
100	SWANMEAD ....Mr. F. Walwyn	7/2
412	LADY MARGARET II.......J. Hamey	9/2
033	LONGMYND LAD ....F. Maxwell	6/1
241	SONG O' MY HEART......Capt. Little	9/4
103	JACK KETCH ....T. McNeill	8/1
014	QUATORZE ....H. Nicholson	100/8
414	YARMOUTH ....Mr. Symonds	10/1
000	MOUNTAIN IMAGE.........K. Piggott	100/8

2.0—NOVEMBER HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 500 sovs. 2 m.

	Age	st.	lb.
FLAMING (Mr. G. Bostwick) I. Anthony	a	12	7
RED HILLMAN (Ld. Latymer) F. Brown	a	11	5
WENCESLAS (Mrs. Whitelaw) W. Stubbs	a	11	5
TIBERE (Mr. H. T. Holloway) H. Whiteman	6	11	3
NISONA (Mrs. F. O. Begner) W. Nightingall	4	11	2
VICTOR NORMAN (Mr. M. Stephens) Blair	4	11	2
DUSTY (Mr. Graham)..................Dale	a	10	11
BLUE SHIRT (Mr. A. Sainsbury) H. Smyth	4	10	8
POMPIER (Mr. Eric Platt).........Poole	6	10	6
ENCHANTER (Mr. Whitney) J. Anthony	5	10	4
PERTHSHIRE LAD (Mr. Morant) Private	a	10	0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
000	WENCESLAS ....G. Wilson	7/2
423	TIBERE ....F. Gurney	6/1
130	NISONA ....J. Marshall	9/2
404	VICTOR NORMAN ......H. Nicholson	5/2
210	DUSTY ....S. Magee	100/8
000	BLUE SHIRT ....K. Piggott	100/8
400	POMPIER .... ———	100/8
404	ENCHANTER ....J. Hamey	8/1

2.30—AMATEURS' HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 150 sovs. 3 m

	Age	st.	lb.
DUSKY TROUBADOUR (7lb. ex.) (Mr. T. Walls, jun.) ....Walls	a	12	7
COOLEEN (Mr. James V. Rank) Evans	a	12	5
DREAM SHIP (Mr. J. V. Rank) ...Evans	a	11	13
MELLBURNE (Lord Abergavenny) Gore	a	11	10
LORD ANGELO (Mr. F. E. Peek) G. Wilson	6	11	7
SPIONAUD (Mr. D. A. Jackson) Powell	a	11	3
FRENCH MANDATE (Mr. J. H. Scott) Warden	6	11	2
ZAG (Capt. O. L. Prior-Palmer) ...Beeby	a	11	1
WOOLWORTH'S (Mr. W. T. Cadman) T. R. Leader	6	11	1
YOUTELL (Mr. P. V. F. Cazalet) H. Whiteman	a	10	13
PRINCESS MIR (Mr. D. A. Jackson) Powell	a	10	13
STAGE KNIGHT (Mr. D. A. Jackson) Powell	a	10	12
ARC DE TRIOMPHE (Mr. Hall) J. Hall	6	10	9
NORMAN GLORY (Mr. R. Gore) Gore	6	10	8
PERITATE (Mr. R. Blunt) ....Blunt	a	10	7
POMPEE (Mr. C. A. M. Freake) Freake	6	10	7
SOMNUS (Mr. H. M. V. Nicoll) Nunneley	a	10	7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
411	DUSKY TROUBADOUR ....Owner	9/2
004	DREAM SHIP ....Mr. F. Walwyn	7/1
001	WOOLWORTHS ....Owner	11/2
000	PRINCESS MIR ....Owner	10/1
101	ARC DE TRIOMPHE......Capt. Little	4/1
012	NORMAN GLORY...Capt. R. Harding	2/1
202	POMPEE .... ———	10/1
003	SOMNUS .... ———	10/1

3.0—WIMBLEDON HURDLE RACE of 150 sovs. Three-year-olds. 1½ m.

	st.	lb.
SPEED ON (Mr. A. Barclay) ......Hedges	10	12
CURIOUS (Mr. A. B. Barrow) ......Tidey	10	12
BIRTHDAY HONOUR (Mr. G. Bennett) Owner	10	12
BERESFELL (Mr. M. Benson) ...Whitaker	10	12
MOUNTAINY MAN (Mr. F. A. Clark) I. Anthony	10	12
SEA PRIDE (Mr. L. P. Collett) J. Waugh	10	12
LOVE'S LEGACY (Mrs. L. Corbett) Rayson	10	12
SILVER CAP (Mr. A. D.-Pennant)...Owner	10	12
REPONDANT (Mr. Freeman) J. Reardon	10	12
SEAFARING (Mrs. C. Hardwicke) Hardwicke	10	12
EVEN SO (Mrs. Hartigan) W. Nightingall	10	12
LE PETIT PIERROT (Mr. Holloway) Woodland	10	12
PROPHECY (Mr. P. Johnson) ......Winter	10	12
MARY AXE (Mrs. E. J. King) ...Nugent	10	12
BURLINGTON BILL (Mr. A. Masters) I. Anthony	10	12
HARMONY HALL (Mr. J. Morant) Private	10	12
DIMENSION (Mr. J. Morant) ...Private	10	12
VEINARDE (Mr. Mosenthal) ...Whitaker	10	12
BEN TINTO (Mr. F. D. Pirie)...Collinson	10	12
GLEAMER (Mr. J. V. Rank) ....Evans	10	12
OPTICIEN II. (Mr. J. V. Rank) ...Evans	10	12
LADY KITT (Mr. T. Richards) W. Nightingall	10	12
EVENING LULLABY (Mr. A. Sainsbury) H. Smyth	10	12
GODOLPHIN (Mr. F. Skeens)...W. Smyth	10	12
COSMOLITE (Mr. A. S.-Bingham) Pease	10	12
SEVEN STONES (Lord Stalbridge) Stalbridge	10	12
WONSTON (Mr. V. Thompson) F. Hartigan	10	12
GALAHINA (Mr. T. Walton) ......Grace	10	12
CUBIST (Mr. J. H. Whitney)...J. Anthony	10	12
DUVERNATE (Mr. F. Winter) ......Winter	10	12

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
2	SPEED ON...........................J. Hickey	7/1
0	BIRTHDAY HONOUR ......G. Wilson	9/2
	SEA PRIDE ....G. Pellerin	100/6
	REPONDANT ....H. Nicholson	100/6
0	EVEN SO..........................J. Marshall	6/1
23	LE PETIT PIERROT.......T. McNeill	11/4
	PROPHECY ....F. Maxwell	100/6
	HARMON HALL .... ———	100/6
00	DIMENSION..............Mr. R. Petre	100/6
	LADY KITT .... ———	8/1
	EVENING LULLABY ......R. Smyth	100/6
0	GODOLPHIN .... ———	10/1
	COSMOLITE .... ———	100/6
	MARY AXE .... ———	100/6

3.30—SUNBURY HANDICAP STEEPLECHASE of 200 sovs. 2 m.

	Age	st.	lb.
LE FORTIUM (Mr. J. V. Rank) W. Payne	6	12	7
ARMAGNAC (Mrs. Macdonald-Buchanan) F. Hartigan	a	12	7
LASS OF RHEIMS (Mr. J. V. Rank) Evans	a	12	0
VILIGENT (Col. F. T. Halse) W. Nightingall	5	11	8
TRESCA (7lb. ex.) (Mrs. A. Sidney Villar) Powell	4	11	5
SOLIPED (Mr. L. Nidditch) ......Hedges	a	11	4
OLIVER CROMWELL (Mr. D. R. Daly) J. Hall	a	11	4
COOLAVACH (Lord Stalbridge) Stalbridge	a	11	2
FIELD MASTER (Mr. H. B. Brandt) James	a	10	10
ROW ON (Mr. Eric Platt) ....Poole	a	10	9
BORRIS BAND (Sir Warden Chilcott) Chilcott	5	10	9
WILD LANCER (Capt. J. W. Bridges) I. Anthony	a	10	9
BLUE BANNER II. (Mr. L. E. Stoddard) I. Anthony	a	10	8
DAVID'S GAIN (Major C. Moss) T. R. Leader	6	10	8
XENON (Mr. D. A. Jackson) ......Powell	4	10	0
SUNBEE (Mr. A. Sainsbury) ...H. Smyth	5	10	0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
133	LE FORTIUM .... ———	8/1
210	ARMAGNAC ....S. Warren	5/2
200	SOLIPED ....E. Taylor	8/1
303	COOLAVACH ....Mr. F. Walwyn	6/4
300	DAVID'S GAIN ....M. Pringle	9/2
400	SUNBEE ....K. Piggott	8/1

HAYDOCK PROGRAMME

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS

Bryn Hurdle—**Newmarket.***
County Steeplechase—**Camp Bed.**
Makerfield Steeplechase—**Rallywood.**
Lowton Hurdle—**Stainless.**
Garswood Hurdle—**Norman Knight.**
Wigan Steeplechase—**Templebeg.**

1.0—BRYN HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. For three-year-olds only. 1¼ m.

	st.	lb.
NEWMARKET (Lord Sefton)......H. Brown	11	7
ETHEDON (Mr. W. Lyde)................Lyde	11	0
CRAWLEY GLEN (Mrs. Stephenson) Storie	10	7
TWOLUCS (Mr. G. Armstrong)......Owner	10	7
WINTER WORKER (Mr. E. H. Bell) G. Armstrong	10	7
CHALKWELL BAY (Mr. C. F. Booth) Webb	10	7
MIDDLETON HUNT (Mr. J. T. C. Burn) Burn	10	7
SKERRYVORE (Mr. J. Cockton) Cockton	10	7
BIRD OF ESSEX (Mr. G. W. Davies) Boyd	10	7
SIR NORMAN (Mr. J. Gorman) Easterby	10	7
PICCOLETTE (Sir E. Hanmer)......Rimell	10	7
CHERRY BRANDY (Maj. F. N. Hillas) Cockburn	10	7
DRINTOI (Mr. V. Huntington) M. Peacock	10	7
SON OF THE MORNING (Sir A. McAlpine) H. Harrison	10	7
TAIL LIGHT (Mr. J. McGuigan) McGuigan	10	7
MISS GRACE (Mr. H. W. Metcalfe) T. Hall	10	7
MARULA (Mrs. Mason)................Drake	10	7
PAULINUS (Mr. A. W. Milne)...Easterby	10	7
MYRH III. (Mr. J. S. Norton)......Beeby	10	7
POLTAB (Mr. J. Paterson).........Paterson	10	7
BARNEY BLUE (Mr. T. Perry)......Perry	10	7
WISDOW LAD (Mr. A. T. Reader) Reader	10	7
BACHELOR'S HALL (Mrs. N. Roberts) Roberts	10	7
GOLDER DOLLAR (Mr. J. Sharp) E. Harper	10	7
CARICATURE (Mr. G. Sowerby) F. Armstrong	10	7
MEIRCHION (Sir E. Tate) M. Peacock	10	7
OGLE DENE (Mr. A. Taylor).........Taylor	10	7
MOWELL PRIDE (Mr. Thompson) Private	10	7
BELLIS (Mr. W. R. Thorpe)...M. Peacock	10	7
DIOGENES (Mr. J. Wallace)...H. Peacock	10	7
SANTA MONICA (Mr. A. H. Watt) Shedden	10	7
DELAY (Mr. A. Willis)................Ireland	10	7
ROSSITER (Capt. A. S. Wilson)...Storie	10	7
CASTLE HILL (Mr. L. H. Wilson) Easterby	10	7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
11	NEWMARKET .... S. Ingham	Evens
013	CRAWLEY GLEN......W. Stephenson	8/1
	WINTER WORKER .... ———	10/1
	CHALKWELL BAY .... ———	10/1
0	MIDDLETON HUNT......D. Becforth	10/1
0	SKERRYVORE .... J. Walsh	10/1
	BIRD OF ESSEX .... ———	10/1
300	PICCOLETTE .... T. Rimell	10/1
	CHERRY BRANDY ...... A. Waudby	10/1
	SON OF THE MORNING..T. F. Carey	10/1
	TAIL LIGHT .... J. Lynn (jun.)	10/1
0	MARULA .... D. Doyle	10/1
30	MISS GRACE .... ———	10/1
	MYRRH III. .... J. Moloney	8/1
	POLTAB .... ———	10/1
000	BACHELOR'S HALL ...... J. Bullock	10/1
	CARICATURE .... ———	10/1
	OGLE DENE .... ———	10/1
422	DIOGENES .... H. Grant	7/2
34	SANTA MONICA .... G. Hamilton	10/1
	DELAY .... ———	10/1
0	ROSSITER .... W. Halford	10/1
40	CASTLE HILL .... J. Mason	10/1

1.30—COUNTY SELLING STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. 2 m.

	Age	st.	lb.
MARTIN BARBER (Mr. H. P. Bell) Lyde	a	11	7
TANGMALANGALOO (Mr. W. Rissill) Owner	a	11	7
NOBILE (Mr. Blake)............A. Blake	a	11	7
ASTRIDGE (Mr. H. D. Dennis) P. Dennis	a	11	7
SMOCK (Mrs. F. Dixon)......G. Dixon	a	11	7
TETRACAUN (Mr. F. W. Gilbert) D. Young	a	11	7
JOHN PRITCHARD (Mr. J. Lezard) Beeby	a	11	7
VILLAGE BOY (Mr. Mealings) Dutton	a	11	7
CAMP BED (Mrs. J. P.-Duncombe) Powell	a	11	7
DOWN SOUTH (Mr. J. Pidcock) Bissill	a	11	7
DARK LADY (Maj. W. N. Hillas) Cockburn	5	11	4

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
300	MARTIN BARBER.....Mr. H. P. Bell	8/1
300	TANGMALANGALOO .... J. Bissill	10/1
032	NOBILE .... J. Millar	10/1
202	ASTRIDGE .... G. Owen	10/1
000	SMOCK .... J. Cooke	10/1
043	TETRACAUN .... D. Quirke	5/1
110	JOHN PRITCHARD...Mr. J. Lezard	11/4
413	CAMP BED .... ———	7/2
000	DOWN SOUTH ...... Mr. J. Pidcock	3/1
002	DARK LADY .... A. Waudby	10/1

2.0—MAKERFIELD HANDICAP 'CHASE of 100 sovs. 2 m.

	Age	st.	lb.
MONTCLAIR (Mr. P. Beatty) ......Beeby	a	12	7
JACK GRANGE (Sir A. McAlpine) Barthropp	6	11	13
CARWOOD (Mr. F. Wint) ....Wint	a	11	9
MINTO CRAG (Mrs. A. Philipps) Bissill	a	11	4
DOUBLE BAY (Mr. P. Arm) Barthropp	a	11	2
BABA (Mr. A. J. Crewdson) J. Harper	a	10	11
BLACKBIRD (Capt. M. A. Little) Beeby	5	10	9
RUNNING SAND (Mr. F. Wint) ...Wint	5	10	8
DUNSHANNON (Lady Lindsay) Private	5	10	7
BENRINNES (Mr. W. Webster) Seymour	6	10	7
DUEL (Mr. H. R. Turner) ....Dutton	5	10	6
MOUNT CHARLES (Mr. T. Hall) T. Hall	a	10	8
TOMMY TITTLEMOUSE (Mr. W. Lyde) Lyde	a	10	6
RALLYWOOD (Mr. Hall Watt) Hall Watt	4	10	5
BALLYMURPHY (Mr. T. Webb) Webb	a	10	5
DAGGERDALE (Mr. Waring) A. Blake	a	10	4
MARTELLO (Mr. Dyke Dennis) P. Dennis	a	10	4
AIR CRAFT (Mrs. I. Strang) ...Wight	5	10	4
DANCING STAR (Mr. Hosking) Private	a	10	2
ACCOLADE (Mr. Knowles) R. Knowles	5	10	1
WARBINE (Lady Lindsay) ......Private	4	10	0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
012	JACK GRANGE .... J. Ward	9/2
023	CARWOOD .... ———	10/1
011	RUNNING SAND .... ———	10/1
000	DUNSHANNON ...... J. Richardson	10/1
011	BENRINNES .... D. Doyle	10/1
120	MOUNT CHARLES ...... A. Waudby	10/1
234	TOMMY TITTLEMOUSE..G. Archibald	5/2
113	RALLYWOOD .... G. Hamilton	6/1
011	BALLYMURPHY .... ———	10/1
400	DAGGERDALE .... J. Miller	10/1
241	MARTELLO .... G. Owen	10/1
013	AIR CRAFT .... G. Bell	6/1
004	DANCING STAR .... T. Isaac	3/1

2.30—LOWTON SELLING HURDLE RACE of 100 sovs. 2 m.

	Age	st.	lb.
BLACK POM (Mr. Chapman) Laurence	5	12	3
PRIODONTE (Mr. H. D. Dennis) P. Dennis	a	12	3
GOLDEN HALO (Mr. H. D. Dennis) P. Dennis	5	12	3
TRAVELLER (Mr. Gilbert)...D. Young	6	12	3
AFRICUS (Mr. J. McKenna) ...Drake	a	12	3
ANDROS (Mr. A. W. Paton)......Paton	6	12	3
FALSE DOCTRINE (Mr. W. Wyllie) Owner	a	12	3
BUBBLE AND SQUEAK (Mrs. Walsh) Private	5	12	3
LONEWOLF (Mr. A. Metcalfe) Metcalfe	6	12	3
HIKER (Mr. H. A. Harvey)...Laurence	5	12	3
SECOND HELPING (Miss H. Cooper) Reader	4	11	12
BRAMDEAN (Mr. W. Dutton) ...Dutton	4	11	12
ANTIPAS (Mr. B. J. Hilliard)...Ireland	4	11	12
STAINLESS (Mr. T. Parke) ......Lyde	4	11	12
GREY LASS (Maj. Jesson) ...Murless	4	11	12
SECOND ACT (Mr. J. Pidcock) Bissill	4	11	12
OLLIE (Sir A. McAlpine) ...Barthropp	4	11	12
LADY CLARICE (Mr. Ellison) Hollowell	4	11	12
HUNTER'S HORN (Mr. J. B.-Irving) R. Armstrong	3	10	7
MISS JAP (Lad B. Groves) ......Cooke	3	10	7

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
	BLACK POM	10/1
301	PRIODONTE .... G. Owen	6/1
230	TRAVELLER ....W. Parker	10/1
	AFRICUS ....A. Waudby	11/4
020	HIKER .... ———	Evens
300	ANDROS .... ———	10/1
300	SECOND HELPING .... ———	10/1
04	BRAMDEAN .... T. F. Carey	7/2
0	LADY CLARICE ... Mr. J. Hollowell	10/1
013	ANTIPAS .... ———	10/1
020	GREY LASS .... I. Alder	10/1
1	OLLIE .... J. Ward	9/2
410	STAINLESS ....G. Archibald	6/1
300	SECOND ACT ...... Mr. J. Pidcock	10/1

3.0—GARSWOOD HANDICAP HURDLE RACE of 125 sovs. 2 m.

	Age	st.	lb.
STRAIGHT LARCH (Mrs. Jones) G. Langlands	5	12	9
FANCY DRESS (Mr. E. S. T. Johnson) E. Johnson	5	11	13
LITTLETHORPE (Mr. R. Renton) Shedden	a	11	12
CULBERTSON (Sir A. McAlpine) Barthropp	6	11	2
BALLYFOX (Comdr. N. Whitehead) Lyde	4	10	13
NORTH GILL (Mr. J. Harper) J. Harper	4	10	13
PRINCE BRABANT (Mr. H. R. Turner) Dutton	5	10	12
BANNER KNIGHT (Mr. W. Webster) Seymour	6	10	11
WESTERN FRONT (Mr. R. E. Morel) Roberts	4	10	9
ARMLET (Mr. H. Marshall) ...Marshall	5	10	8
NORMAN KNIGHT (Mr. G. W. Dixon) Easterby	6	10	8
ARDGLASS (Mr. R. J. Norbury) Cockton	a	10	6
NEWARK (Mr. J. E. Hartley) Easterby	4	10	5
SANTIOSE (Mr. G. Laurence) Laurence	4	10	4
PATELLA (Mr. G. Armstrong) G. Armstrong	5	10	3
MILTON ABBEY (Mr. G. Gingell) Newton	6	10	2
PHILANDER (Mr. F. Wint) ......Wint	6	10	2
FREEZY (Mr. J. T. C. Burn) ......Burn	4	10	0
GLAZERT (Mr. C. Birch) ...... C. Birch	a	10	0
LYCURGUS (Lt.-Col. A. B. H. Northcott) Lyde	4	10	0
TUCK IN (Mr. H. D. Dennis) P. Dennis	6	10	0
TIMBUC (Lt.-Comdr. E. W. B. Leake) McGuigan	5	10	0

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
000	FANCY DRESS .... J. Millar	10/1
120	CULBERTSON .... J. Ward	4/1
100	NORTH GILL ....A. Scratchley	8/1
002	PRINCE BRABANT ....G. Owen	3/1
400	BANNER KNIGHT .... D. Doyle	10/1
110	ARMLET .... A. Ireson	10/1
331	NORMAN KNIGHT... J. Richardson	6/1
023	ARDGLASS ....J. Walsh	6/1
006	SANTIOSE .... ———	10/1
030	PATELLA .... ———	7/1
200	MILTON ABBEY .... A. Waudby	10/1
000	PHILANDER .... ———	10/1
204	FREEZY ....D. Becforth	8/1
000	GLAZERT .... ———	10/1
404	TIMBUC .... J. Lynn, jun.	10/1

3.30—WIGAN STEEPLECHASE of 100 sovs. 3 m.

	Age	st.	lb.
TEMPLEBEG (Lt.-Col. Tweedie)...Wight	a	11	13
JACKAL (Sir A. McAlpine) H. Harrison	a	11	13
DOWN SOUTH (Mr. J. Pidcock) Bissill	a	11	13
NOBILE (Mr. R. Blake) ......A. Blake	a	11	13
J.P. (Mr. H. D. Dennis) ......P. Dennis	a	11	13
ARC DE TRIOMPHE (Mr. J. L. Hall) J. Hall	6	11	13
TRESCA (Mrs. S. Villar) ....Powell	4	11	2
RALLYWOOD (Mr. Hall Watt) Shedden	4	11	2
KILLADAR (Mr. Jackson) ...T. Morgan	a	10	9
FEARLESS (Maj. R. W. Lewis) R. Bennett	6	10	9
MIRMON (Mrs. E. G. Pease) ...Pease	6	10	9
EDGEMOOR (Mr. H. Turner) ...Dutton	6	10	9

Form.	Probable Starters and Jockeys.	Betting Forecast.
032	NOBILE .... J. Millar	10/1
021	J.P. .... G. Owen	8/1
000	DOWN SOUTH ......Mr. J. Pidcock	6/1
112	TEMPLEBEG ...... Mr. R. Tweedie	2/1
113	RALLYWOOD .... G. Hamilton	9/2
131	TRESCA .... ———	5/2
00	FEARLESS .... P. Lay	10/1

SPORTING GOSSIP

On Top for German Race

On Top has been entered for next year's Brown Ribbon, the leading race of Germany, to be run at Munich on July 26. The value of the race is 100,000 marks (£8,000). On Top is a four-year-old colt by Spion Kop out of Deocaun, and is trained by V. Smyth. He won three races last season. Already 57 entries have been received, and other entries from abroad are expected.

The Running of Royal Crusade

Yesterday's *Racing Calendar* contains the following:—"Manchester November meeting—The Stewards inquired into the running of Royal Crusade in the Ellesmere Welter Handicap Plate, as compared with the horse's previous form in the Allestree Handicap Plate, at the Derby autumn meeting, and the Brandling Welter Handicap Plate at the Newcastle autumn meeting. Having heard the explanations given by E. Parker, the trainer, and A. Wragg, who rode the horse on each occasion, they decided to accept the same."

New Lincoln Handicapper

Major G. Johnson will allot the weights for next year's Lincolnshire Handicap. He has been appointed handicapper at Lincoln in succession to Mr. C. L. Penrhyn-Hornby.

Why Hiker was Disqualified.

The *Racing Calendar* states that Hiker, winner of the Pittville Selling Hurdle race at Cheltenham on November 16, was disqualified because the Stewards found that, although the horse had been sold to Mr. G. Laurence and Mr. H. A. Harvey, between whom a partnership was registered on November 12, no transfer of the entry in the race had been lodged, as required by Rule 88.

Fred Fox's Holiday

Fred. Fox, the jockey, leaves to-day on the Warwick Castle for South Africa. He is making the trip on the advice of his doctor. This is the first time that Fox has spent the winter abroad. He will resume riding when the flat racing season opens in March.

Jockey Breaks Ribs

M. Doherty had three ribs broken when his mount, Bland, fell in the Kingsclere Steeplechase at Newbury on Wednesday.

Hurdler Killed at Newbury

Radnor, a runner in the Round Oak Hurdle race at Newbury yesterday, fell at the last flight and broke his neck. The rider, Mr. C. V. Jackson, was brought back in the ambulance, but escaped with a slight shaking.

Apprentice's First Winner

C. Hook, an apprentice to M. D. Blair, rode his first winner at Newbury yesterday. He was successful on Lynton in the Cranborne Steeplechase. Hook is 21 years of age.

E. C. Brown's Accident

E. C. Brown injured a leg by the fall of his mount, Kentapelle, at Newbury on Wednesday. His doctor has advised him not to resume riding until Monday.

Change of Quarters

Departures from Templeman's training establishment are the three-year-old fillies Sambucus and Low Gill. Sambucus has left for abroad. Low Gill has been sent to her owner's place.

MUSEUM TO REMAIN AT THE CURRAGH

Sir Victor Sassoon's Irish triple crown winner, Museum, the first horse to win the Irish Derby, Two Thousand Guineas and St. Leger, will remain in Ireland.

One of his objectives next season will be the Ascot Gold Cup. It is probable that he will contest other important Cup races in England, but will continue to be trained by J. T. Rogers at the Curragh, where he has been since his yearling days. In Ireland his efforts will probably be confined chiefly to His Majesty's plates.

SELECTIONS FOR KEMPTON PARK

PAPER.	1.0 RACE.	1.30 RACE.	2.0 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.0 RACE.	3.30 RACE.
Irish Times.......	Bleu de Roi II.	Swanmead.	Tibere.	Norman Glory.*	Le Petit Pierrot.	Coolavach.
Galtee More ...	—	—	Victor Norman.	Arc de Triomphe.	Le Petit Pierrot.	—
S. Life & Sportsman.	Lord Swift.	Longmynd Lad.	Nisona.*	Norman Glory, next best.	Birthday Honour.	David's Gain.
Man on the Spot	Lord Swift.	Longmynd Lad.	Victor Norman.	Norman Glory.	Even So.	Armagnac.*
Daily Sketch	Bleu de Roi II.	Yarmouth.	Victor Norman.*	Stage Knight; if ab., Norman Glory.	Le Petit Pierrot.	Armagnac.
Star	Saxon; Bleu de Roi II., place.	Lady Margaret II.; Armetta, place.	Victor Norman; Red Hillman, place.	Dusky Troubadour; Mellburne, place.	Le Petit Pierrot.* Even So, place.	Tresca; Coolavach, place.
Evening News	Koppit.	Lady Margaret II.*	Nisona.	Woolworths.	Speed On.*	Wild Lancer.
Evening Standard...	Koppit.	Quatorze.	Enchanter.	Mellburne.	Repondant.	I. Anthony's selected.

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RUGBY FOOTBALL

LEINSTER BACKS SHINE

Fine Connaught Defence at Lansdowne Road

LEINSTER......... 24 CONNAUGHT....... 0

Although beaten by 3 goals and 3 tries (24 points) to nil at Lansdowne Road yesterday, Connaught did by no means badly against almost the strongest team that Leinster could put in the field. They started off with an attack that lasted for nearly the first quarter of an hour, and were unlucky not to get a couple of tries; and although they were generally on the defensive afterwards, they never lost heart, but stuck to their job right to the end. At the beginning some of their passing movements were well carried out, but in the main they relied on forward rushes and kicks ahead.

Leinster had an advantage in weight in the pack, and they got the ball back sufficiently often to give the backs opportunity to show their paces, which they did, bringing off some capital movements. McMahon and Mooney were always looking for a gap in the centre, but they were up against determined tackling, as were the wings, Boyle and Doyle. The former looked the better of these two, although he did not get as many opportunities as the Bective man J. Glynn, however, proved a stronger defender than J. Egan, and he marked Doyle well. Quinn took and gave his passes well, but did little else, while Morgan was subjected to an unusually close watch at the base of the scrum, O'Flynn sticking to him like a terrier.

After a slow start, the forwards did well, Deering showing his best form, and making a number of splendid bursts near the end. Graves also was hard to stop when in possession, and Horan was always up with the ball, and was more prominent than Lawler in the open. The whole eight packed well in the tight, where their weight advantage was obvious.

If the Connaught backs flattered to deceive, O'Flynn, the scrum-half; Horan, his partner, Sandys and J. Glynn did capital work all through, especially in defence, and Toner fielded well at full-back, though his kicking was short. B. Glynn played a splendid game in the pack, not only making some capital runs himself, but generally giving out a good pass as he was tackled. He was well supported by McAuley and Earner, but every man worked hard, especially in tackling and checking Leinster rushes.

Play was mostly inside the Leinster '25 for the first fifteen minutes, Connaught having the aid of a strong breeze, and J. Glynn and Horan were only brought down a few yards out, after each had run well. When Leinster started passing, however, it was obvious that they carried too much speed for the opposition, and in almost their first attack Mooney sold the dummy and scored, McMahon converting. After this they settled down to attack steadily, and Quinn, receiving from a scrum on the Connaught line, threw out a long pass to Doyle, who used his speed to score far out, Aird failing with the kick. Another passing movement brought the third score, Boyle beating two defenders near the corner flag to run round behind the posts, and this time Aird converted, but Boyle might have been tackled.

Facing the breeze, Connaught were sorely pressed all through the second half; but nearly twenty minutes had gone by before Leinster scored, and then it was a very soft try. Lenihan misjudged a high punt of McMahon's, which bounced near the line; but he made no attempt at recovery, and Boyle gathered to score easily, Doyle adding the points. The next try came from a strong forward rush, Horan getting the touch, and Mooney completed the scoring with an effort similar to his first, selling the dummy and darting over quickly. Teams:—

Leinster—D. P. Morris (Bective Rangers); J. Doyle (Bective Rangers) L. B. McMahon (Blackrock), J. J. Mooney (Lansdowne), C. V. Boyle (Dublin University); P. J. Quinn (Clontarf), G. J. Morgan (Clontarf); V. J. Aird (Bective Rangers), C. A. Boyle (Dublin University), B. P. Berney (Dublin University), S. J. Deering (Bective Rangers), C. R. Graves (Wanderers) (captain), E. Dwyer (University College), P. J. Lawler (Bective Rangers), L. N. Horan (Dublin University).

Connaught—E. Toner (Corinthians); J. Egan (U.C.G.), G. Lenihan (U.C.G.), R. Sandys (U.C.G.), J. Glynn (U.C.G.); P. Horan (U.C.G.), P. O'Flynn (U.C.G.); B. Glynn (Corinthians), A. Roche (U.C.G.), M. Earner (U.C.G.), G. Fitzpatrick (U.C.G.), J. Naughton (Galwegians), M. Browne (Corinthians), M. Waldron (Galwegians), B. McAuley (U.C.G.).

TEAMS FOR FIRST ENGLISH TRIAL

The teams for the first England international trial match, to be played at Moseley on December 7, kick-off 2.15, have been chosen as follows:—

PROBABLES.

Full-back—H. G. Owen-Smith (St. Mary's Hospital).

Three-quarters—E. J. Unwin (Army and Rosslyn Park), P. Cranmer (Richmond), M. C. Lucas (London-Scottish), H. S. Sever (Sale).

Half-backs—P. L. Chandler (St. Bartholomew's Hospital), B. C. Gadney (Leicester).

Forwards—R. J. Longland (Northampton), E. S. Nicholson (Leicester), Harold Wheatley (Coventry), A. Clarke (Coventry), P. E. Dunkley (Harlequins), W. H. Weston (Northampton), P. C. Hordern (Gloucester), D. T. Kemp (Trojans).

POSSIBLES.

Full-back—W. R. Bond (Millom).

Three-quarters—L. A. Booth (Headingley), R. A. Gerrard (Bath), G. M. Seldon (Walsall), J. B. Charles (Leicester).

Half-backs—G. F. Williams (Moseley), G. J. Dean (the Army and Harlequins).

Forwards—D. A. Kendrew (the Army and North of Ireland), H. B. Toff (Waterloo), A. Walker (Coventry), G. T. Dancer (Bedford), J. R. Spear (Durham University), J. G. Cook (North of Ireland), D. L. K. Milman (Bedford), R. Willsher (Bedford).

NOTABLE NEWCOMER

The teams were chosen following the meeting of Oxford University and R. V. Stanley's XV. at Oxford, which served the purpose in some ways of an extra trial. Actually, eight of the men who appeared in Stanley's side have been chosen for the trial, six of them in the Probables' team.

A notable newcomer is G. F. Williams, the Moseley stand-off half, in the Possibles' fifteen. Williams is highly thought of in the Midlands, and to him is reckoned to belong much of the credit for the success of North Midlands this season.

H. G. Owen-Smith has recently shown a return to his best form, so that his choice as Probables' full-back became automatic; but Bond, on the other side, is new to games of this kind. He plays for Cumberland.

An interesting personality in the Possibles' pack is J. G. Cook, who formerly was a centre three-quarter.

Only seven of the England fifteen that lost to Scotland last March find places, these being Booth, Cranmer, Gadney, Longland, Nicholson, Clarke and Weston. As usual, no University players are called upon for the first trial.

FOUR MORE CAMBRIDGE BLUES AWARDED

Four more Cambridge Blues were awarded yesterday, which means that now only two positions remain to be filled—at wing three-quarter and forward. The new Blues are:—J. R. Rawlence (Wellington and Pembroke), wing three-quarter; K. G. Irving (Glenalmond and Jesus), W. B. Young (City of London and St. Catharine's), and W. M. Inglis (Rugby and Clare), forwards.

There is a doubt as to whether C. D. Laborde, who was injured in the match with the New Zealanders, will be fit in time for the University match on December 10. If he cannot play another forward will have to be chosen.

ULSTER FORWARD CHANGE

H. Kennedy, the Queen's University forward, is unable to play for Ulster against the New Zealanders at Belfast to-morrow. The vacancy has not yet been filled.

CROSS-CHANNEL RESULT.

R. V. Stanley's XV. 25 points, Oxford University 13 points.

MUNSTER SCHOOLS' TRIAL

The following teams have been selected for to-morrow's Schools' Trial at Cork:—

Whites—D. Carroll (Presentation, Cork); S. Murphy (Presentation, Cobh), F. Foley (C.B.C.), D. Kenneally (Presentation, Cobh), T. Corcoran (Presentation, Cork); W. Duggan and P. Skehan (Waterpark); D. Moloney, D. Corcoran, D. Fenton (Presentation, Cork), V. Richards, P. Walsh (C.B.C.), E. Quinlan (Waterpark), E. Daunt (Midleton College), T. Martin (Presentation, Cobh).

Colours—B. Baker (Midleton College); T. Kean, N. Barrett, M. Cagney (C.B.C.), J. Phelan (Waterpark); B. Kearney and M. Forde (C.B.C.); K. Kearney, T. Twomey, E. Foley (C.B.C.), C. Crowley, P. Barry, W. Tehan (Presentation, Cork), T. Coffey and W. Lumley (Waterpark).

TO-MORROW'S FIXTURES

Ulster v. New Zealand Ravenhill, Belfast.
University College, Dublin, v. University College, Cork. Belfield.
Clontarf v. Old Wesley. Castle avenue.
Blackrock College v. Dublin University. Williamstown.
Palmerston v. Lansdowne. Clonskeagh.
Wanderers v. Bective Rangers. Lansdowne road.
Cork Constitution v. Monkstown. Cork.

SCHOOLS' MATCHES.

Newbridge 19 points, Castleknock 3 points.
Waterpark College (Waterford) 8 points, Crescent College (Limerick) nil (Bowen Shield match).

SWIMMING

TARA STREET BATHS

Both of the swimming ponds will be closed on and from Monday next, 2nd December. The first-class pond will re-open on Tuesday, 4th February, 1936, and the second-class on Tuesday, 31st March.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS

Daily Sketch Double—Victor Norman and Bleu de Roi II.

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS

Amateurs' Handicap Steeplechase, Kempton Park—Ego.
Kempton Park engagement—Here's George.
Bryn Hurdle, Haydock Park—Vole.
Haydock Park engagements—Golden Crown.
All engagements—Double Bell (dead).

BADMINTON

CAMBRIDGE BEAT OXFORD

Cambridge beat Oxford for the sixth successive year when, at the Crystal Palace, London, yesterday, they won by 12 games to 3. H. S. Ong, the Cambridge captain, represented the Light Blues for the fourth time, and was one of three Malaya players in the winners' side. He showed magnificent form in his single against P. D. McTaggart-Cowan, the Oxford captain. By vigorous smashing and superior speed, Ong won by 15-6, 15-17, 15-7. McTaggart-Cowan was not at his best form owing to the effects of a recent motor accident, in which he injured his right arm.

Other winners for Cambridge included:—T. J. Wee, from Penang, who is Freshmen's champion; and D. C. Rought-Rought, a brother of the cricket Blue. Rought-Rought won his single, and he and Ong were successful in their doubles match.

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Local Victory in Tipperary Cup: Favourite Well Beaten

By Our Coursing Correspondent.

THERE was an extremely popular local victory in the Tipperary Cup, at Kilsheelan yesterday, when Miss Butler's Battle Fare, nominated by Mr. Martin O'Gorman, beat Mr. J. V. Rank's puppy, Jaunty Rake, in the deciding course.

Miss Butler is a member of the clerical staff of the Irish Coursing club at Clonmel, and Mr. O'Gorman one of the oldest members of the Kilsheelan club, with which are now associated in the management of the cup of the Irish Coursing Club at Clonmel, and Carrick-on-Suir.

Jaunty Rake maintained his position as favourite; indeed, there was no backing him before coursing was resumed; but, as I indicated, the pace of Battle Fare, who was at 16 to 1 in the long odds wagering, suggested that he had more than an outside chance, and he was well supported before his third course.

His running in the South County Dublin Cup at the recent meeting at Clondalkin was not, however, a pointer to his success now; but he gave vastly improved displays. He ran on, showed good pace to the hare, and battled out his courses with determination.

The experts thought that if Duke of Venice could overcome Boys in Blue, who had already beaten him this season, in the third round he would have a rosy chance of getting to the end of the stake; but, although he turned the tables on the brindled in a short trial, he was not nearly good enough for Jaunty Rake, who got up a length in front and did not allow him a point of real merit.

Battle Fare brought about the downfall of the much-fancied Valiant Cutlet, but perhaps the best course the local dog ran was the deciding one, in which he made an example of the Limerick dog. It was not as long a slip as he got in the third round, but he was quicker into his stride, always in front in the run-up, made the turn by two lengths, and thereafter did not leave the issue in doubt. Indeed, the puppy scored but one point (a weak one) and a kill of little or no merit. It was short, sharp and decisive. The best-paced dog in the stake gained the honours and he also, as remarked, put plenty of fire into his work.

It was by no manner of means as good a Tipperary Cup as many of the earlier ones, the entry being distinctly below the average in point of quality, and the hares leaving much to be desired. At not one of the Cup meetings at Kilsheelan (and I have seen every one of them) did the hares provide such mixed trials. They looked all right when slipped at, and it may have been they were unable to stand up in the aftergrass.

Scarlet River showed excellent puppy pace in the Trial Stakes. If Mr. J. Ryan's youngster remains fit and well in the interval he should figure prominently in the Derby at Powerstown Park in February

TIPPERARY CUP—For 32 all ages. Winner, £100 and cup (presented by Mr. J. V. Rank); second, £30; two dogs, £15 each; four dogs, £4 4/- each.

III.

Duke of Venice (1½l.) beat Boys in Blue.
Jaunty Rake (1l.) beat Roving Rank.
Valiant Cutlet (just up) beat Ropewalk King.
Battle Fare (2l.) beat Jolly Red.

IV.

Jaunty Rake (2l.) beat Duke of Venice.
Battle Fare (1l.) beat Valiant Cutlet.

V.

Mr. P. O'Gorman ns. Miss Butler's bd. d. BATTLE FARE (Mutton Cutlet—Battle Breeze) (2l.) beat Mr. J. V. Rank's bd. d. p. Jaunty Rake (Deeside—Porte Violet).

TRIAL STAKES—For 20 dog puppies. Winner, £20; second, £8; one dog, £3.

Third Round—Bandit's Glory (2l.) beat Suir Side Lad; Dee Poppy (3l.) beat Jazz Laddie; Scarlet River a bye.

Fourth Round—Scarlet River a bye, Bandit's Glory drawn, injured; Dee Poppy a bye.

Deciding Course—Mr. T. Ryan's f. Scarlet River (Lawyer's Fee—Tables Turned) (1l.) beat Mr. J. J. Dowley's f. Dee Poppy (Deeside—Poppy Maid).

SLIEVENAMON STAKES—For 16 bitch puppies.

Second Round—Bouncing Ball (3l.) beat Daisy Dee; Cymbal's Image (just up) beat Glenpoer Biddy; Miss Maura (3l.) beat Young Crawler; Bernina (12l.) beat Well Powdered.

Third Round—Cymbal's Image (1l.) beat Bouncing Ball; Bernina (3l.) beat Miss Maura.

Miss M. Skehan's r. f. Cymbal's Image (Lawyer's Fee—Chere Amie) and Miss A. Byrne's bd. Bernina (Egyptian Banker—Demurely) divided.

MEMBERS' STAKE, No. 1—For 16 one-course all-aged dogs.

Jazzaside beat Kevin's Beauty; Sean's Tune beat Delightful Life; Willmaker beat Picked Guard; Tom's Last beat Fresno; Convent Wall a bye, Dixie Jazzer absent; Bless the Border beat Golden Privit; Blinding Darcy beat Pout; Poppy My beat Musical Line.

Second Round—Sean's Tune beat Jazzaside; Tom's Last a bye, Willmaker drawn; Bless the Border beat Convent Wall; Poppy My beat Blinking Darcy.

Third Round—Tom's Last beat Sean's Tune; Poppy My beat Bless the Border.

Mr. J. J. O'Shea's bd. Tom's Last (Open Steak—For Ever) and Mr. P. McGrath's Poppy My (Deeside—Poppy Maid) divided.

MEMBERS' STAKES (No. 2)—For 16 all-aged one-course bitches.

Second Round—Hot Foot beat Brandon Beauty; Rinn Moon beat Guard Light; Jazz Lazzie beat Romantic Queen; Well Placed beat Castle Side Biddy.

Third Round—Rinn Moon beat Hot Foot; Well Placed beat Jazz Lazzie.

Miss M. Ryan's f. Rinn Moon (Deeside—Miss Moonlight) and Mr. M. Walsh's bd. Well Placed (With Luck—Playaway) divided.

MEMBERS' STAKE (No. 3)—For 16 one-course all-ages.

Last Ryll beat Back Bender; Seumas beat Real Time; Hill Graduate beat Barnaclea; Tipperary Boy beat Heffernan's Frolic; Mothel Star beat Killeenleigh Boy; Double Turned beat Off the Green; Princess Chere a bye, Moonenane Lass absent; Mockler's Hill a bye, Rathcoole absent.

Second Round—Seumas beat Last Ryll; Tipperary Boy beat Hill Graduate; Mothel Star beat Double Turned; Princess Chere beat Mockler's Hill.

Third Round — Tipperary Boy beat Seumas; Mothel Star beat Princess Chere.

Mr. Quinn's bd. d. Tipperary Boy (Mr. Moon—Ran Wild) and Messrs. Mahon and Sheehan's bd. d. Mothel Star (Lewy Maccon—Mahon Pride) divided.

KILSHEELAN STAKES (No. 1)—For 16 two-course all-ages.

Second Round—Cullen's Luck beat Moon Laddie; Final Answer beat Heavy Budget; Clogh Blackbird beat Blue Brick; Roving Robber beat Querulous Queen.

Third Round—Cullen's Luck beat Final Answer; Roving Robber beat Clogh Blackbird.

Dr. O'Callaghan's f. d. Cullen's Luck (Orluck—R.M.N.) and Mrs. N. Barry's bd. w. d. Roving Robber (Roving Baron—Torlisk) divided.

KILSHEELAN STAKES (No. 2)—For 16 two course all-ages.

Second Round—Keep Scoring beat Biceps; Shalivahan beat Wondering Moments; Tipperary Rambler beat Bellarmine; Comfort beat Rustic Pansy.

Third Round—Shalivahan beat Keep Scoring; Tipperary Rambler beat Comfort.

Mr. W. O'Shea's r. f. d. Shalivahan (Rattleaway—Hetty Beck) and Mr. Quinn's bk. d. Tipperary Rambler (Ryland R.—Whitefield Rose) divided.

ORANMORE

Judge—Mr. E. Kelly. Slipper—D. Toole.

TRIAL STAKE (16 dog puppies)—Flying Cut beat Old Sailor; King Flame beat Sea Bequest; Derryowen beat Lonely Knight; Sporting Sam beat Ned of the Mill; Aran Man beat Mick from Burrisokole; Always Near beat Tentpegger; Moon's Lost Soul beat Ardkyle; Outline beat Gob Dubh.

Second Round—Flying Cut beat King Flame; Sporting Sam beat Derryowen; Aran Man beat Always Near; Outline beat Moon's Lost Soul.

Third Round—Sporting Sam beat Flying Cut; Aran Man beat Outline.

Decider—Mr. J. Carroll's Sporting Sam beat Mr. J. Murphy's Aran Man.

ORANMORE STAKES and CUP (16 all-ages)—Hello Gordon beat Seaside Express; Kiltartan Cross beat Never Nameit; Open Beak beat Tipperary Guide; Knight of Clonshine beat Copteen Bawn; Hellfire Bob beat Knockmajor; Gingereen beat Long Black Hand; Bessie Dee beat Stonehall Lass; Sylvan Hill beat Lady Pat.

Second Round—Hello Gordon beat Kiltartan Cross; Open Beak beat Knight of Clonshine; Hellfire Bob beat Gingereen; Sylvan Hill beat Bessie Dee.

Third Round—Open Beak beat Hello Gordon; Hellfire Bob beat Sylvan Hill.

Decider—Mr. M. Hayes's Hellfire Bob beat Mr. H. Dolan's Open Beak.

ROCKHILL STAKE (16 all-ages)—Good Wonder beat Larry the Rambler; Fancy's Hope beat Pump House; Loyal Dancer beat Big Stiff; Sunny Gamble beat Bachelor's Lane; Bushfield beat Sidecraft; Sweeping Music beat Cartron; Tell Me beat Tubrid Boy; Moonlight Leader beat Smutty Island.

Second Round—Good Wonder beat Fancy's Hope; Sunny Gamble beat Loyal Dancer; Bushfield beat Sweeping Music; Tell Me a bye, Moonlight Leader drawn.

Third Round—Mr. D. Higgins's Good Wonder beat Sunny Gamble; Mr. R. Taylor's Tell Me beat Bushfield. Stake divided.

FRENCHFORT STAKE (16 all-ages)—Tragic Waltz beat Gentle Amy; Finale Hopper beat Chase Me; Strand Line beat Never Fought; Davy's Badger beat My Tolka; Empress of Adair beat Jump for Joy; Lady Carvel beat Ballinamana Lass; Always Buzzing beat Merry Lady; Sweet Roisin a bye, Trillick Fancy absent.

Second Round—Finale Hopper beat Tragic Waltz; Strand Line beat Davy's Badger; Lady Carvel beat Empress of Adair; Always Buzzing beat Sweet Roisin.

Third Round—Strand Line beat Finale Hopper; Lady Carvel beat Always Buzzing.

Final—Miss S. Sexton's Strand Line beat Mr. Pickersgill's Lady Carvel.

TOBERCLAIR

ATHLONE STAKE AND CUP (8 no-course all-ages)—Master Dolcie beat Conjuror; Usie beat Meff; Rattling Dee beat Greenoge; Glasson Girl beat Dainty Mistress.

Second Round—Master Dolcie beat Usie; Rattling Dee beat Glasson Girl.

Decider—Mr. T. Heslin's Rattling Dee (Deeside—Cannaban) beat Mr. S. O'Brien's Master Dolcie (Master of Novices—Dainty Dollie).

CLONKEEN STAKE (16 puppies)—Tailspin Tommy a bye, Robo Hawk absent; Leader's Call beat Battle Breach; Galway Pine a bye, Custom's Bridge drawn; Feale Ferry beat Royal Athlone; Agrippa beat Ardnagrath; Shook for Shelter beat Arah Hurry; Beauty Pine beat Bective Wood; Confidante beat Toorevagh.

Second Round—Leader's Call beat Tailspin Tommy; Feale Ferry beat Galway Pine; Shook for Shelter beat Agrippa; Beauty Pine beat Confidante.

Third Round—Leader's Call beat Feale Ferry; Shook for Shelter beat Beauty Pine.

Decider—Mr. J. Hynes's Leader's Call (Connaught Leader—Flushing Frauline) beat Mr. F. G. Browne's Shook for Shelter (Brigadier Hummer—Pleasing Gallop).

MIDLAND CUP (16 all-ages)—Electric Nut beat Hot Jet; Bub Bub beat Half Special; Cutlet's Offspring beat Out of the Box; Ryland Coin beat Dirty Red; Kilglass Hero beat Gordon; Editor's Edict beat Rebel Prince; Hidden Lawyer beat Milord; Rebel Music Mad beat Royal Outcast.

Second Round—Electric Nut beat Bub Bub; Ryland Coin beat Cutlet's Offspring; Editor's Edict beat Kilglass Hero; Hidden Lawyer beat Rebel Music Mad.

Third Round—Electric Nut beat Ryland Coin; Editor's Edict beat Hidden Lawyer.

Decider—Mr. J. McCarthy's Editor's Edict (Editor's Book—Tasty Cutlet) beat Mr. J. T. Sweeny's Electric Nut (Pistachio Nut—Electric Current).

KILKENNY WEST STAKE (16 two-course all-ages)—White Hill Rebel beat Smiling Gold; Shamrock Land beat Budget Time; Town Trouble beat Early Tide; Balby beat Black Outcast; Behan's Best a bye, Giveneeny Boy absent; Bilberry's Rover beat Cicerone; Queen of the Guards beat Yellow Prior; Flying Anne beat Easter Beauty.

Second Round—White Hill Rebel beat Shamrock Land; Town Trouble beat Balby; Bilberry's Rover beat Behan's Best; Flying Anne beat Queen of the Guards.

Third Round—White Hill Rebel beat Town Trouble; Bilberry's Rover beat Flying Anne.

Decider—Mr. P. Dolan's Bilberry's Rover (Gaelic Rover—Bilberry Blossom) beat Mr. P. J. Ruttledge's White Hill Rebel (White Sandhills Again—Dam Speedy).

GLASSON STAKE AND FLANAGAN CUP (16 one-course all-ages)—What a Miller beat Slievedonald Lough; Lough Ree Rover beat Alkaline; Master of Mars beat Zeni; Never Find beat Mullymux Stranger; Gas Phone beat Battling Jade; Rock Dove beat Bosky Brink; Dam Rattler beat Betty Bunty; Rose of the Lake beat Pride of Kiltoom.

Second Round—Lough Ree Rover beat What a Miller; Master of Mars beat Never Find; Gas Phone a bye, Rock Dove absent (injured); Dam Rattler beat Rose of the Lake.

Third Round—Lough Ree Rover beat Master of Mars; Dam Rattler beat Gas Phone.

Decider—Mr. M. Hopkin's Lough Ree Rover (Gaelic Rover—Bilberry Blossom) beat Mr. J. McAndrew's Dam Rattler (Rattleaway—Dam Speedy).

DOON—TO-MORROW

Judge—Mr. W. Gleeson. Slipper—P. J. Burke.

KILMOYLAN STAKES (for 16 puppies).—Mr. W. Cosgrave's Killer Every Time v. Mr. J. F. Teehan's Royal Jack; Mr. J. Barry's Lightside v. Mr. T. O'Dea's Delight; Mr. A. O'Donoghue's Open Road v. Mr. M. Buckley's Fiddler's Elbow; Mr. J. Moloney's Clashanea Boy v. Mr. W. Hurley's Leafy Willow; Mr. M. Quinn's First Nobleman v. Mr. P. Breen's Buzz On Dick; Mr. J. V. Rank's Jesting Rabble v. Mr. J. Mahony's Fawn Emperor; Mr. T. O'Hara's Glenslide v. Dr. M. Feely's Killeedy Captain.

CARRIGMORE STAKES (for 8 puppies).—Mr. P. Moran's More Green v. Mr. P. O'Dwyer's Oola Hill Lassie; Mr. M. Dunworth's Golden Sycamore v. Mr. J. J. Slattery's Conquering Star; Mr. A. F. D'Arcy's May Queen v. Mr. J. Callendar's O.K. Minnie; Mr. T. Toomey's Tender Lassie v. Mr. J. V. Rank's Jockey's Ride

DOON STAKES AND LANSDOWNE CUP (for 16 all-ages).—Mr. M. Sheehan's Roxboro' Flashlight v. Mr. M. Ryan's Emperor's Fawn; Mr. J. V. Rank's Trader v. Mr. J. G. O'Brien's Struonide; Mr. T. Conway's Never Nearest v. Mr. D. O'Neill's On Deeside; Mr. M. Toomey's Ballybeg Stake v. Mr. T. Doherty's Dee Green; Mr. M. Quinn's Another Statesman v. Mr. B. Berkery's Bilboa Bridge; Mr. W. O'Toole's The Slowest Yet v. Mr. J. Barry's Master Tricker; Mr. B. Vaughan's Coy Lad v. Mr. W. McAuliffe's Gormanstown Volunteer; Mr. D. Kirby's Rathard Lass v. Mr. E. Ellis's Nice Craythur.

COOGA STAKES (for two-course maidens).—Mr. J. Lonergan's Hailstone Boy v. Mr. P. Sheehan's Friarstown Rattler; Mr. M. O'Dwyer's Moonyoan Rover v. Mr. C. Lonergan's Oola Shamrock; Mrs. H. Cahill's Captain General v. Mr. T. Burke's Brood Bean; Miss J. Frazer's Friendly Frankie v. Mr. J. V. Rank's Jack On The Run; Mr. G. Grace's Barna Mechanic v. Mr. P. Gleeson's Brilliant Pray; Mrs. N. McGrath's My Irish Molly O v. Mr. W. Hayes's Ryland's Ace; Mr. T. McCormack's Stream of Treasure v. Mr. P. O'Neill's Rattling Nellie; Mrs. T. Corcoran's Lady Anzac v. Mr. J. Meehan's Porthos Belle.

LOCAL STAKES AND ROCHE CUP (for 16 one-course maidens).—Mr. W. McElligott's Doon Coon v. Messrs. Moore Young and Ryan's Double Alliance; Mr. P. Hayes's Cariavero v. Mr. J. Maher's Hipped; Mr. P. Cummins's Black Bacon v. Mr. J. Martin's Lisowen Bridge; Mr. T. Ryan's Roving Tommy v. Mr. M. McElligott's Knock Again; Mrs. K. Brennan's Maiden Voyage v. Mr. J. Anderson's Castle Peggy; Mr. E. Ryan's Mickeen's Niece v. Mr. P. Lonergan's Camogie Captain; Mr. C. Ryan's Renavana Lass v. Messrs. D. Anderson and M. Ryan's Miss Rivers; Miss B. O'Dea's Doon Duchess v. Mr. P. J. Lee's April Leaf

NORTH KILDARE—MONDAY

Judge—Mr. P. J. Murphy. Slipper—M. Horan.

CHAMPION PUPPY STAKES (8 dogs)—Mr. Delahunt's Hills of Arklow v. Mr. Boland's Big Account; Mr. Ennis's Clane Cure v. Mr. Dunne's Draught Deed; Mr. McCarthy's Lahern Loafer v. Mr. Fitzpatrick's Garrawan's Schauver; Mr. Smith's Blackchurch Boy v. Mr. Hayes's Earl's Pal.

CHAMPION PUPPY STAKE (8 bitches)—Mr. Fingleton's Finetos v. Mr. Dowling's Meadow Lady; Mr. Moore's Minnetot v. Mr. Mooney's Killenure Girl; Mr. Clynch's Banker Wave v. Mr. Cooley's Coolest Imp; Mr. Malone's More Meddlesome v. Mr. Dunne's Dazzling Lady.

NAAS STAKES (8 all-ages)—Mr. Fox's Innismurry Lass v. Mr. Morrin's Kennel Boy; Mr. Tynte's Prince Leo v. Mr. Ryan's Odd King; Mr. Keogh's Silver Arab v. Mr. Sheehan's Sweet Rebecca; Mr. Dunne's Cheerful Liar v. Mr. Hyland's Hurling Wave.

LIFFEY STAKES (8 two-course all-ages)—Mr. Higgins's Nan's Guard v. Mr. Hayes's Russellstown Bid; Mr. Maguire's Out for Duck v. Mr. Coogan's Civil; Mr. Murray's Miss Question v. Mr. Kelly's Earl's Bunty; Mr. Hutchinson's Grangebeg Gem v. Mr. Langan's Keredern.

OSBERSTOWN STAKES (8 one-course all-ages)—Mr. Doyle's Idle Banter v. Mr. Conway's Cheerful Custard; Mr. Doyle's Famous G. v. Mr. Croke's Chinki's Pet; Mr. Brennan's Outdoor Girl v. Mr. Egan's Silent Mutton; Mr. Ennis's Clane Heiress v. Mr. O'Neill's Laughing Lass.

Meet at Canal Bridge at 9.30. First brace in slips at 10 o'clock.

BRIDGETOWN RESULTS

PUPPY STAKE (11)—Mr. Bennett's Ballycushion One and Mr. O. Murphy's Maneron Dee divided

OPEN STAKE (6)—Mr. Brereton's Brilliant Side and Mrs. J. Murphy's Caline's Store divided

BRIDGETOWN STAKE (9)—Decider—Mr O'Connor's Baginbun beat Mr. Meyler's Gertie's Jewel.

BARGY STAKE (16)—Mr. French's Furlong's Ford and Mr. O. Murphy's Miss Alpine divided.

OLDHALL STAKE (16)—Mr. Flynn's Ryland Lar and Mr. Doyle's Lion's Best divided.

LAWN TENNIS

L.T.A. FINANCES

The Lawn Tennis Association received £9,054 14s. 8d. as their share of the 1934 Wimbledon championship. This is considerably below the sum accruing to the Association from the 1933 meeting, which was £13,868 14s. 4d. The figures for 1935 are not yet available.

The net profit from the challenge round of the Davis Cup at Wimbledon between Great Britain and the United States was £2,533. Players' medals accounted for £21, and mementoes cost £140.

From the 165 open tournaments held this year the Association received in fees £1,909 10s., as compared with £1,932 4s. in 1934. This year £3,177 12s. 7d. was spent in coaching young players, and of this sum £1,046 was devoted to the public schools.

TABLE TENNIS

BIG MATCH DATES

The English Table Tennis championships will take place at the Empress Stadium, Earl's Court, on February 6, 7 and 8. England play the Free State in Dublin on December 14, and Wales in London on January 11. English and Welsh women meet in Wales on April 4.

BOXING

"HEAVY" NOVICES OF PROMISE

GOOD FORM SHOWN IN THE I.A.B.A. TRIALS

The competition organised by the Irish Amateur Boxing Association at Portobello Gymnasium last night for the purpose of encouraging junior boxers in the heavier weights was quite a success, for it served to bring forward several hitherto "unknowns," who give promise of developing into potential champions if the performances on this occasion can be taken on their face value.

Since the retirement of Garda Mat Flanagan there has not been a heavy-weight of outstanding ability, with the exception of Garda Lydon, but judged on their performances of last night, W. D. McCullagh, of Galway, and B. Smith, of Windsor Park, should, with efficient coaching, have bright futures. McCullagh, who scales something over 16st., carries a powerful punch, and a right to the jaw in the early stages of the first round sufficed to gain him a k.o. win over W. Morrison, of the R.U.C. Smith's victory was secured with equal rapidity.

There were several Northern Ireland competitors in action, and W. McNeill gave a good display in outpointing another R.U.C. man in G. Howe in the other heavy-weight contest.

There was an unexpected ending to one of the cruiser bouts when Private Kerry, the Army champion, was disqualified for hitting in the break after a couple of warnings in a very poor bout with Private Farren.

Of the losing boxers, Hackett of Dublin University and B. O'Brien of Bray, showed distinct promise though outpointed by more skilful opponents in Private Carroll and Private Murphy respectively. Details:—

MIDDLE-WEIGHT.

First Series—J. Burke (Avona) beat W. Seddon (St. Andrews) on points; Private J. Carroll (Collins) beat E. W. R. Hackett (Dublin University) on points; T. J. Carlisle (R.U.C.) k.o. J. Murphy (Barrow) in first round.

Second Series—Carlisle k.o. L. Craig (R.U.C.) in first round; R. Hutchinson (Ballymote) beat P. O'Loughlin (Avona) on points; Carroll beat M. Holden (Raharee) on points; W. Guest (Dundalk) beat Burke on points.

CRUISER-WEIGHT.

First Series—J. Boyd (Windsor Park, Belfast) beat T. Lennox (R.U.C.) in second round; Private E. Farren (Collins) beat Private J. Kerry (Collins), disqualified in third round; Private T. Murphy (Collins) beat B. O'Brien (Bray) on points; T. Penny (St. Andrews) beat C. Dowd (Sligo) in third round.

HEAVY-WEIGHT.

First Series—W. H. McNeill (R.U.C.) beat G. Howe (R.U.C.) on points; W. D. McCullagh (Galway) k.o. W. S. Morrison (R.U.C.) in first round; B. Smith (Windsor Park) k.o. R. Kidd (Virginia) in first round.

JIMMY WALSH BEATEN

Jimmy Walsh, of Chester, who is shortly to meet Kid Berg for the British Light-weight championship, was surprisingly beaten on points at Glasgow last night in a twelve rounds' contest by Joe Connolly (Bathgate). Connolly, the stronger puncher, sent Walsh hard against the ropes with several right uppercuts in the later rounds, and showed splendid form throughout one of the best bouts seen for some years in Scotland. Towards the end of the fight Walsh suffered an injury to his mouth.

LAZER BEATS WENSTOB

Roy Lazer, the American heavy-weight, beat Ed. Wenstob, the Canadian, on points in a ten rounds contest at Liverpool last night. It was a poor fight. Wenstob gained an advantage in the first four rounds, but was worn down by the slower-moving Lazer. The American had Wenstob often in trouble in the later stages.

ROWING

CLOSE FINISHES AT ISLANDBRIDGE

DUBLIN UNIVERSITY B.C. TERM RACES

The weather was bitterly cold for the opening day of the Dublin University Boat Club Michaelmas Term races, held over the usual regatta course at Island Bridge. The programme for the opening day comprised the heats in the Sir Arthur Ball Sculling Cup, and the fours in the Usher Cup.

There was a strong breeze behind the crews, and fast times were recorded. Many close finishes took place, which augurs well for the semi-finals to-day and the finals on Saturday.

In addition to the visit of the Edinburgh University four on Saturday, who will compete against the winners of the Usher Fours, there will be a race between the eights of Dublin University B.C. and University College B.C. Details:—

USHER CUP (FOURS).

Heat "A"—"F" Crew (A. E. Duncan, E. W. McBirney, L. F. Seymour, J. N. K. Campbell (stk.), H. R. Devlin (cox.), 1; "B" Crew (H. Pringle, J. R. Colfer, D. L. Harbinson J. A. Strong (stk.), P. A. Hamilton (cox.), 0.

Heat "B"—"E" Crew (R. Graham, S. H. Cook, C. E. M. Leggatt, H. L. S. Hamilton (stk.), P. A. Hamilton (cox.), 1; "I" Crew (B. K. Fuge, R. McBirney, P. G. O'Connell, R. G. Heard (stk.), H. R. T. Devlin (cox.), 0.

Heat "C"—"H" Crew (D. A. P. Murphy, A. Graham, J. J. Cussen, S. D. Miller (stk.), P. A. Hamilton (cox.), 1; "G" Crew (J. H. R. Hosie, P. Conlon, W. J. McCutcheon, J. L. McEnnery (stk.), H. R. Devlin (cox.), 0.

SIR ARTHUR BALL CUP (SCULLING).

Heat "A"—T. Shillington beat A. R. Tyndall.
Heat "B"—J. Richards-Orpen beat C. Leggatt.
Heat "C"—W. R. N. Millar beat T. Shier.
Heat "D"—W. B. Welply beat G. Pitt.

PROGRAMME FOR TO-DAY

2.20—Fours—Heat 2—"B" Crew v. "G" Crew.
2.40—Fours—Heat 3—"A" Crew v. "D" Crew.
3. 0—Sculling—T. Shillington v. J. Richards-Orpen.
3.20—Fours—Heat 7—"E" Crew v. "H" Crew.
3.40—Fours—Heat 6—Winner of Heat 2 v. winner of Heat 3.
4. 0—Sculling—W. N. R. Millar v. W. B. Welply.

GREYHOUND RACING

HAROLD'S CROSS PARK—TO-NIGHT

8.15—**ULSTER PLATE** (525 yards)—Three T.T.'s, Lislane, Joyful Larry, Low Law, Just Beginning, Marshal Field, Mr. Gooch, Cratloe Moyle.

8.30—**METROPOLITAN HURDLE** (525 yards)—Curious Friend, Daisy's Duffer, Coolnacig Boy, Southern Fruit, Blue Network, Summer Dew.

8.45—**LEINSTER PLATE** (525 yards)—Again Knocklain, Another Hero, Bonny Danny Boy, Dashing Surprise, Kruso, Spark's Bridge, Long Willie, Moving Hero.

9.0—**MUNSTER PLATE** (525 yards)—Cloudy Vision, Crooked Nail, Winged Lady, Ruskey Princess, Peevish Fog, Kilgarve Flapper, Flintfield Lady, Dewy Pansy.

9.10—**MIDLAND HURDLE** (525 yards)—Yellow Ford, Mullahullion, Hedge a Little, Master of Students, Brilliant Rattler, Boy from the Shannon.

9.30—**CONNAUGHT PLATE** (525 yards)—Balrenny Cross, L'Etoile, Miss Toffee, Tidy Rattler, Touring Days, Navarino's Pride, Hamwood Lass, Pine Knot.

9.45—**LIFFEY PLATE** (525 yards)—Fiery and Gay, Handle the Goods, Microscope, Steve, Artane Traveller, Spot the White, Wyannas Cagur, Essex Challenger.

GOLF

CLUB NOTICES

WOODBROOK.

Ladies' Branch.—Christmas hamper competition—Class A—Miss Pakenham (27), 76; six sealed holes, Mrs. Fitzpatrick, 28 1-5. Class B—Mrs. Burke (36), 72; six sealed holes, Mrs. Hayden, 27. Tuesday, 3rd December—Monthly medal, 18 holes, bogey. Arrange opponents.

RATHFARNHAM.

Ladies' Branch.—December 3rd — Foursomes. Draws 10, 10.30, 11 and 2.15. Committee meeting, 1.45 p.m.

KILLINEY.

To-morrow—Turkey competition, nine holes, bogey.

MILLTOWN.

Ladies' Branch—2nd December—Medal, 18 holes, strokes; players must start not later than 2 p.m. 5th December—Christmas competition.

CLONTARF.

Crawford Cup (12 holes)—N. "Mashie" (8), 42 2-3; J. A. Ryan (16), 43 1-3.

ISLAND.

Ladies' Branch—Wednesday, December 4th—Stroke competition, for prize presented by Mrs. H. C. Hall; post entries; arrange opponents. Result of medal finals—Class I.—Mrs. Harold Mitchell (10), 82; Miss C. Meares (10), 82. Class II.—Miss Haslett (25), 84.

WRESTLING

BOUT ENDS IN RIOT

O'Mahony Awarded the Verdict Over Dusek

CLEVELAND (OHIO), Thursday.

Dan O'Mahony successfully defended his world's championship against Ernie Dusek, the only man who had held him to a draw since he began his tour, in a contest which ended in a riot here last night. The match was awarded to O'Mahony on a foul after thirty-six minutes of furious wrestling. By allegedly kicking his opponent in the stomach, and then knocking the referee down eight times when the latter attempted to protect the fallen Irishman, Dusek precipitated a riot, which was not quelled until police reserves were summoned to the arena.

Dusek, infuriated by O'Mahony's vicious holds, made a desperate attempt to avoid having his shoulders pinned to the mat. Then, after being tossed out of the ring, he clambered back and committed the alleged foul. The referee immediately rushed to the assistance of the champion, who collapsed in the centre of the ring

REFEREE KNOCKED DOWN

Dusek, however, floored the official with a hard right to the jaw, and, climbing on top of O'Mahony, tried to pin him. The referee again intervened, and again he was knocked down by the infuriated wrestler. With the whole of the arena plunged into uproar, and free fights taking place among the spectators, Dusek was not vanquished until a policeman pinned his arms and legs.

Hundreds of spectators, yelling threats, rushed the ring and several succeeded in climbing under the ropes before police reinforcements arrived.

Dusek was surrounded by officers and escorted from the ring, but several spectators succeeded in hitting him before he reached the sanctuary of the dressingroom.

O'Mahony did not succeed in registering a fall, but he assuredly would have done so. A crowd of 9,000, anticipating a titanic battle, roared a thunderous welcome as O'Mahony entered the ring before the contest, while they lustily booed Dusek, who is regarded as the "arch-villain of the mat."

The Irishman immediately indicated his determination to go one better than his previous draw with Dusek. He floored the latter with a head-lock, then applied a wrist-lock and following up with a toe-hold appeared to be very close to victory. Dusek managed to save himself by dragging himself and his opponent under the ropes, where the referee broke the hold. O'Mahony then slammed Dusek to the mat by a head-lock. The latter arose and dropped the champion with a right to the jaw. This incident aroused the ire of some of the spectators, who attempted to climb into the ring, but were ejected by the police.

THE "IRISH WHIP"

Dusek then obtained a wrist-lock, but O'Mahony, breaking this, brought his famous "Irish whip" hold into use for the first time. He tossed Dusek over his head, and the latter landed on the mat with a resounding thud. Swinging both firsts wildly Dusek charged in furiously, but he was floored by a flying tackle from O'Mahony. The champion then lifted the groggy Dusek and tossed him out of the ring. It was following this that the uproar commenced.

ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL

NEWCASTLE SIGN HUGH BULLOCH

PORTADOWN HALF-BACK TRANSFERRED

Hugh Bulloch, Portadown's stalwart centre-half, was transferred yesterday to Newcastle United. Bulloch joined Portadown three seasons ago from Greenock Morton, and soon became an outstanding personality in Irish League football. He is an expert exponent of the third back game, and with Lamb (goalkeeper) is largely responsible for Portadown's continued interest in the Gold Cup. He is the second Portadown player to join an English club this season, Larry Connell, another Scot, having gone to West Ham recently. It is understood that a transfer fee of £1,700 was paid for Bulloch, who will assist his new club against Nottingham Forest at Newcastle to-morrow.

WELSH INTERNATIONAL FOR BRENTFORD

Brentford yesterday secured the transfer from Wolverhampton Wanderers of Dai Richards, the Welsh international left half. Joining Wolverhampton from Merthyr Tydfil in 1927, Richards altogether made 211 appearances for the first team, but only eight this season, as he has been displaced by Gardiner, a young player from the reserves. Richards has been honoured eleven times by Wales.

Heart of Midlothian directors have refused an offer from Brentford for the transfer of Massie and McCulloch.

DEATH OF MR. JOHN RYDER

We regret to announce the death, which occurred yesterday, of Mr. John A. Ryder, secretary of the Football Association of the Irish Free State.

Mr. Ryder was for close on forty years connected with association football in Dublin, first as a junior player and later as a legislator and official.

When the Leinster Junior League—the oldest of our leagues—was formed, he took an active part in its management. He was also for many years connected with the Leinster Football Association as its honorary secretary, and, on the foundation of the Free State Association, became its secretary—a position he filled with marked ability and much distinction.

Practically his whole life was devoted to the development of association football in the "South." His death is a great loss to the game, the affairs of which he managed with a tact and courtesy that endeared him to all with whom it brought him into contact.

THE GERMAN CAPTAIN

The German team, to meet England at Tottenham Hotspur's ground on Wednesday next, will be captained by Rudi Gramlich, who was coached by Jimmy Hogan, a former prominent member of Bolton Wanderers team. The team will be:—Hans Jacob; Siegmund Haringer, Reinhold Muenzenberg; Paul Janes, Ludwig Goldbrunner Rudi Gramlich; Ernst Lehner, Fritz Szepan, Karl Hohmann, Joseph Rasselnberg, Joseph Fath.

BILLIARDS

DUBLIN SNOOKER LEAGUE

The first week's matches in the Saloon Snooker League were concluded last night when, at the Earlsfort Rooms, the home team representative, J. O'Brien, was beaten by J. Farrington (Palace) by two games to one, but Earlsfort won by 3-1 in the match. At the Oxford J. Fox (Home of Billiards) was beaten by Frank Cullen (Oxford) in two straight games, making a draw of two each.

Bakers (Dun Laoghaire) had a win over Pembroke of 4-0, and Premier (Dun Laoghaire) drew with Avondale, L. Cronin beating E. Peet by 36-27, 39-56, 45-40.

The matches will be resumed on Monday next, the draw being:—Oxford No. 1 at Jordan's, Premier (Dun Laoghaire) at Earlsfort, Palace at Home of Billiards, and Bakers at Pembroke.

BILLIARDS LEAGUE RESULTS

The results of the Dublin and District League this week in the First Division were:—Butchers 5, Wellington Quay 1; C.B.P.P.U. 5, Portobello Barracks 1; McKee Barracks 4, Collins 0.

Second Division—W. Quay 3, Independent 3; Broadstone 4, Inchicore 2; G.S.R. 4, Butchers 1; Banba 4, J. Redmonds 1.

NEWMAN IN FORM

Smith had the better of the earlier session against Newman at Thurston's, London, yesterday, scoring 437 against 360, but in the evening Newman drew away again with a total of 778 against 81. The best breaks were 596 and 330 (full) by Newman, and 233 and 194 by Smith. Closing scores—Newman (in play), 3,696; Smith, 2,710.

GAELIC GAMES

KILKENNY C.B.S. IN FINAL

KILKENNY C.B.S. ... 5-9 ST. KIERAN'S... 2-3

Kilkenny C.B.S. had a sweeping victory over St. Kieran's College in the semi-final of the Leinster Colleges Senior Hurling Championship at Nowlan Park, Kilkenny, yesterday. St. Kieran's ran up an early lead of 2-1 to nil, and led at the interval by 2-2 to 0-3.

From the commencement of the second half C.B.S. produced brilliant hurling, and completely dominated the play, scoring a total of 21 points to a single point for St. Kieran's. It was easily the finest team C.B.S. have ever produced, and it included six members of the Kilkenny All-Ireland Minor team.

BOY KILLED IN RUGBY MATCH

From Our Correspondent.

BELFAST, Thursday.

An accident on the Rugby field, which ended fatally, happened on Wednesday during an inter-house match amongst pupils of the Royal Belfast Academical Institution.

Lewis Esler (16), Cavehill road, Belfast, received a kick on the head during the game, and was conveyed to the Royal Victoria Hospital, where he passed away this morning.

HUNTING

TIPPERARY HOUNDS

A GREAT HUNT

This season the "Gallant Tipps" have made a decided innovation. The hounds are being hunted by Mrs. Masters, the well-known point-to-point rider. Mrs. Masters is probably the only woman "huntsman" in Ireland. The innovation is certainly proving a success. On Wednesday hounds met at Ballingarry village, a meet which, ten years ago, brought hunting people from Kilkenny, Limerick, and other neighbouring packs. There might not have been the same crowds last Wednesday, but there was a great hunt.

Hounds moved off to Grannacole, which held at least two brace of foxes. Eventually one broke at the bottom of the covert, hounds getting away on good terms with him. He ran almost to Mulhall's, and then turned right-handed as if for Killeen's, over a lovely line of country. Scent was good and hounds ran about twenty minutes without a check. There were many casualties in the field.

Hounds were now getting up to their fox, and he swung back left-handed, probably trying to get to Kilcooley Woods, but just failed to get there, and was pulled down in the open, about two fields from Kilcooley. Apart from the hunt servants and the Joint Master, Mr. R. T. Dibben, only about half-a-dozen of the field were up at the kill. A point of six miles, and eight as hounds ran. The time was fifty minutes.

NORTH KILDARE HARRIERS

From Barberstown meet this pack brought off a good day's sport. The first draw was Mr. Haddleston's farm, where hounds found immediately, and hunted a wide circle round Barberstown, where they killed. A hare found at Baybush headed for Barberstown, and crossed the Maynooth-Straffan road into Roselawn. In Roselawn hares were so numerous it made hunting difficult, and it was nearly impossible to keep hounds from dividing. Leaving Pickering on the left, hounds ran into Mr. Odlum's farm, and killed close to the Celbridge road. From here the field enjoyed a couple of nice rings before a third hare was chopped. The day finished with a nice run from Newtown McCabe to Smithstown, where hounds were stopped, as it was getting late.

On Monday last, from the meet at "The Dancing Tree," Dollanstown, this pack brought off their best hunt this season. From Dollanstown hounds got away at once on to an outlying fox pointing for Moyglare, short of which they turned right-handed, and after a circle back to Dollanstown the quarry was eventually marked to ground. A hare found here was hunted, on an improving scent, towards the Copper Alley, but was killed before reaching there. Time, 40 minutes. They next found on Mr. Kinahan's land, and had several local rings.

HUNTING APPOINTMENTS

THE WARD UNION.

November.	Meet.	Hour.
Saturday, 30th	Rathgate	1.30

THE KILDARE.

Saturday, 30th	Betaghstown Cross-roads	11. 0

THE MEATH.

To-day	Swainstown Gate	11. 0

WESTMEATH HOUNDS.—December — Tuesday, 3rd, Ballynegall (at 11.30 a.m.); Friday, 6th, Streamstown; Monday, 9th, Hopestown Cross; Wednesday, 11th, Rockview; Saturday, 14th, Glascorn Cross; Tuesday, 17th, Gaybrook; Friday, 20th, Killare; Monday, 23rd, Castletown Cross; Thursday, 26th, Ballyknock; Saturday, 28th, Mearescourt; Tuesday, 31st, Gillardstown. At 11 o'clock.

WEXFORD HOUNDS.—December — Monday, 2nd, Blackhall; Wednesday, 4th, Battlestown; Friday, 6th, Ballysop; Monday, 9th, Chapel Station; Wednesday, 11th, Taghmon; Friday, 13th, Ballymacar; Monday, 16th, Bannow; Wednesday, 18th, Bryanstown; Friday, 20th, Campile; Monday, 23rd, Rosegarland; Thursday, 26th, Ballinaboola (cap for Earl Haig's Fund); Saturday, 28th, Tintern Abbey; Monday, 30th, Kellistown Bridge. At 11 o'clock.

TIPPERARY HUNT.—December — Monday, 2nd, Knockfee Cross; Wednesday, 4th, Drangan Village; Thursday, 5th, Mobarnane Gate; Saturday, 7th, Camas Bridge; Monday, 9th, Knockloftv Cross; Wednesday, 11th, Lanespark; Thursday, 12th, New Inn; Saturday, 14th, Garnavilla School House. At 11 o'clock.

CO. GALWAY HUNT ("The Blazers").—December—Monday, 2nd, Ballyglunin Park; Wednesday, 4th, Loughrea; Thursday, 5th, Tuam; Monday, 9th, Castle Lambert; Wednesday, 11th, Dunsandle; Thursday, 12th, Greenhouse Cross-roads; Monday, 16th, Graig Abbey; Wednesday, 18th, Dalyston; Thursday, 19th, Toghermore; Monday, 23rd, Newtown; Tuesday, 24th, The Kennels; Thursday, 26th, Moyvilla Cross-roads; Monday, 30th, Monivea Castle; Tuesday, 31st, Kilmeen Cross-roads. January—Thursday, 2nd, Cummer. At 11 o'clock.

MOUNT LOFTUS HARRIERS.—December 5th, Redbog, instead of December 4th.

HOCKEY

LEINSTER BRANCH I.H.U.

The monthly Branch Council meeting will be held next Wednesday at Londonbridge road at 7.30 p.m. All delegates are requested to attend.

CUP ENTRIES

Entries and fees for Irish Cups (Leinster Section) should be sent to the Branch Hon. Secretary, 50 Haddington road, not later than to-morrow. Entries and fees for the Leinster and School Cups should be with Mr. J. H. Ross, 7 Mount Temple terrace, Dartry road, before to-morrow.

TO-MORROW'S SENIOR FIXTURES

Railway Union v. Monkstown. Park avenue.
St. James's Gate v. Pembroke Wanderers, Crumlin.
Corinthians v. Dalkey. Templeogue.
Naas v. Avoca School. Naas.
Dublin University v. Y.M.C.A. Londonbridge road.
Imperial Tobacco Co v. Three Rock Rovers, Crumlin.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN TALKS

General Goemboes, the Hungarian Premier, and M. Kanya, his Foreign Minister, arrived yesterday in Vienna. They have come on a visit to Dr. von Schuschnigg, the Austrian Chancellor, to discuss questions of an economic nature, it is stated.

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THE STOCKING OF IRISH GOODS

SHOPS SAID TO BE SLACKING

WOMEN'S APPEAL TO WOMEN

AN appeal for sustained effort by women on behalf of Irish goods was made by Senator Mrs. Wyse Power (president) in an address at the annual meeting in the Mansion House, Dublin, last night—Mrs. Austin Stack (vice-president) presiding—of the Women's Industrial Development Association.

THE REPORT

Mrs. Linda Kearns, in her annual report, stated that the mannequin parade held at the Spring Show at Ballsbridge, which was the biggest event the Association had yet attempted, was a huge success. So great was the success that it would become an annual feature of the Spring Show. Tribute was paid in the report to Dr. Bohane, Director of the Royal Dublin Society, for the facilities given the display.

ASSOCIATION'S AIM

Mrs. Wyse Power reminded the meeting that the main object of the Association was to secure that Irish-made goods could be obtained without difficulty by the public. It was their duty to see that Irish manufacture, whether goods or clothing, was stocked in the shops. The shops were slacking in that respect, and it was up to them to have that position changed. Irish industries would be placed in a grave position if people generally did not ask for Irish goods and see that they were stocked. They had 400 members in Dublin, and they should be able to see that the shops stocked all the Irish-made goods needed for ordinary purposes.

"There has been a suggestion that tariffs are sufficient," continued the president. All the tariffs in the world and all the Acts of Parliament ever passed would not achieve the Association's aim. It was the national spirit of the people alone that could keep up the quest for Irish manufacture.

The meeting adopted a resolution from the Cork Branch calling for the election of an All-Ireland Executive not later than February next.

A PROTEST

Protest was made, on the proposal of the North City Branch, against the wearing of foreign clothing by children competing in Irish Dancing Competitions and playing camogie, and the meeting urged that the Executive Committee should take the matter up with the Irish Dance Teachers' Association and Camogie Association.

The President, Mrs. Wyse Power, and the Vice-President, Mrs. Austin Stack, were unanimously re-elected.

MOUNTJOY SCHOOL

OLD BOYS' UNION DANCE

A very successful dance was held last night in the Metropole Ballroom, Dublin, by the members of the Mountjoy School Old Boys' Union. There was a large attendance of members of the union and their friends. In addition to many "spot" prizes, a feature of the evening's entertainment was an exhibition of the latest ballroom dances, given by Miss Dorothy Shea and partner.

Representatives were present from the Wanderers Rugby Football Club, and the following Old Boys' Unions:—High School, St. Andrew's College, St. Columba's College, Wesley College, Diocesan School, and King's Hospital School.

The committee in charge of the arrangements included:—Mr. H. A. Watchorn, Mr. F. S. Poff, Mr. H. C. East, Mr. C. J. Hughes, Mr. V. Abernethy, Mr. C. A. Herbert, and Mr. J. C. Oakes.

There were also present:—The Rev. Wm. Anderson (headmaster), the Lord Mayor of Dublin, Mr. T. H. Corrigan (president) and Mrs. Corrigan, Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald, Dr. and Mrs. T. G. Wilson, Captain and Mrs. J. R. Ramsey, the Rev. R. R. Watson and Mrs. Watson, Dr. and Mrs. McKenny, Mr. and Mrs. Winter, Mrs. Holmes, Miss Scutt, Dr. James Ashe, Mr. A. L. Barber, Mr. F. Galbraith, Miss D. Shea, Miss G. Wilson, Miss D. Allshire, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Miller, Mr. J. R. Miley, Mr. and Mrs. F. Olhausseu, the Misses Hilton, Miss Towell, Mr. W. J. Rowell, Mrs. A. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. A. Harwood, Mr. C. E. Browne, Miss M. Boyce, Mr. L. H. Smith, the Rev. W. J. Mayne.

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CULWICK CHORAL SOCIETY

"THE MUSIC-MAKERS"

A spirited performance of "The Music-Makers" (Elgar) was the outstanding contribution of the Culwick Choral Society at their concert in the Metropolitan Hall, Lower Abbey street, Dublin, last night. This wonderful tone-poem of the great English composer, with its ever-varying moods, imposes the severest test on choristers, and it is a great compliment to the Culwick Society that they should have reflected so faithfully the spirit of the work. Mr. R. Turner Huggard showed a keen analytical understanding of the music, and made his points very effectively. He called into play a wide range of tone and colour to convey the message of the words. The clarity of the diction and the shapely phrasing were distinctive features that made for added enjoyment, and with these were combined the most delicate pianissimo touches, as in the phrase at the close: "We are the music-makers, and we are the dreamers of dreams," and the vigorous declamation of phrases, like "Movers and shakers of the world." Very telling, too, were the descriptive references to Nineveh and Babel.

Generally the choral work was well balanced, though in the forte passages the tenors, numerically weak, sounded thin and forced in their effort to preserve balance. The soprano tone, too, in the top register was somewhat piercing, but these were slight blemishes in otherwise excellent singing. Mabel Home carried the solo part very capably in the Elgar work, the last movement especially being well pointed. The choir was supported by two pianos, played by the Misses Dorothy Stokes and Alice Yoakley, and later in the concert these two ladies showed fine team work in their rendering of Rachmaninov's Second Suite, Op. 17, for two pianos. The second movement—Valse—was very appealing, and the Tarantelle, in its intricate mazes, gave opportunity to the players to display their very polished technique.

Of the other pieces sung by the choir Granville Bantock's "Spirit of Night" was well handled after a somewhat hesitant start. The William Walton work, "A Litany," was beautifully shaded, and Healey Willan's "In youth is pleasure," danced along in a gay mood.

In a final group were such colourful pieces as "In the Belfry" (Napier Miles), "The Song of the Raven" (Warrell), "My Beloved Spake" (Arthur Duff), and "A Merry Christmas" (arr. by Warrell).

Two groups of songs were sung by Mr. Michael O'Higgins, the young Dublin baritone who has come to be one of our most cultured concert artistes. His interpretation of the German group, which included songs of Brahms, Schumann and Strauss was excellent, the singing of the Strauss "Traum durch die Dammerung" being especially well done. Brahms's "Die mainacht" sounded just a trifle hurried, and the opening phrases too crisp, but the big crescendo and last movement were well presented. The "Widmung" of Schumann was also finely declaimed. In a later group of modern English songs one liked the Roger Quilter "Go lovely rose" and "Fair House of Joy," whilst the encore song, "Sleep that flits on baby's eyes," from Tagore's "Song Offerings," was the most delicate of the singer's work. The accompaniment of this song alone stamped Miss Dorothy Stokes's work at the piano as of the highest class.

PLAIN-SONG COURSE

ROYAL ACADEMY OF MUSIC

About forty students, principally school teachers, attended at the Royal Academy of Music, Dublin, last night, when Mr. Hubert Rooney commenced his series of instructions in Gregorian chant. Originally undertaken at the request of a group of teachers, these courses now have become a regular feature, and, whilst supplying a decided want, have done a great deal to popularise the chant among the people. Mr. Rooney brought out the full beauty of the examples he chose for purposes of illustration, and in less than an hour the entire class was singing congregationally. The instructions will be continued on successive Thursday evenings, at 8 o'clock, and arrangements have been made to admit members of the public who are unable to attend the entire series.

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Mr. S. Thornton, Miss I. McCoy, Mr. J. Y. Drought, Miss V. Thrift, Mr. C. R. R. Magrath, Miss E. Magee, Mr. R. A. Harrison, Mrs. M. McIlveen, Mr. E. McKeown, Mr. E. R. Simmons, Mr. J. A. Cashel, Mr. R. W. Cashel, Mr. A. H. Thomas, Mr. G. O'Sullivan, Mr. C. H. Farmer, Mr. Maxwell, Mr. J. Walker, Mr. W. Winter, Mr. Tyrrell, Mr. L. D. Whitfield, Mr. C. H. Anderson, and Mr P. McCready.

PROSPECTUS

THE LIST OF SUBSCRIPTIONS WILL BE OPENED ON MONDAY, THE 2nd DAY OF DECEMBER, 1935, AND WILL BE CLOSED ON OR BEFORE TUESDAY, THE 3rd DAY OF DECEMBER, 1935.

A Copy of this Prospectus has been filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies. Application will be made to the Committee of the Dublin Stock Ex change for permission to deal in the under-mentioned Preference and Ordinary Shares and in due course for an Official Quotation.

IRISH WIRE PRODUCTS, LIMITED

(Incorporated in Saorstát Eireann under the Companies Acts, 1908 to 1917.)

SHARE CAPITAL

Authorised.	To be issued.
£55,000 in 55,000 6½ per cent. Cumulative Preference Shares of £1 each	£35,000
£70,000 in 70,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each - - - -	£40,000
£125,000	£75,000

The Company has no Debentures or Debenture Stock outstanding.

ISSUE AT PAR OF

35,000 6½ per cent. Cumulative Preference Shares of £1 each - £35,000

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The Directors and their friends will apply for and will be allotted forthwith for cash on the terms of the Prospectus 20,000 Ordinary Shares and 5,000 Cumulative Preference Shares of the present Issue.

The Cumulative Preference Shares confer the right to a fixed Cumulative preferential dividend at the rate of £6½ per cent. per annum on the Capital for the time being paid up or credited as paid up thereon, in priority to the Company's Ordinary Shares. The said Cumulative Preference Shares shall rank as regards return of Capital and payment of any arrears of dividend (whether declared or undeclared) in priority to the Ordinary Shares of the Company, but shall confer no further right to participation in profits or assets.

The Preference Dividend will be calculated up to the 30th June and the 31st December and will be payable on the 1st September and the 1st March in each year. The first Preference Dividend will be payable on the 1st September, 1936, and will be calculated up to the 30th June, 1936, on the amounts paid on application and on allotment as from the date of allotment, and on the further instalment from its due date.

The Directors shall, when considering the allotment of any share or the registration of any transfer, have regard to the provisions of the Control of Manufactures Acts, 1932 and 1934.

By Article 41 of the Articles of Association it is provided:—

More than one-half in nominal value of the issued shares, and at least two-thirds in nominal value of every class of shares carrying voting rights, shall only be held by or transferred to (1) a person who is a "qualified person" (as defined in Section 2 (3) of the Control of Manufactures Act, 1934), or (2) a "qualified holding body corporate" (as defined by Section 9 (1) (f) of the said Act, and which person or body corporate, as the case may be, is or will respectively be deemed to be the beneficial owner of such shares; or (3) a trustee for a qualified person or a qualified holding body corporate who or which, under the provisions of the Control of Manufactures Acts, is or will be deemed to be the beneficial owner of such shares.

By Article 42 provision is made to enable the Directors to ascertain whether a person or body corporate in whose name or on whose behalf any shares are registered or held is qualified under the said Acts to hold or own beneficially such shares and by Article 43 provision is made to enable the Directors to compel the sale of any such shares where such person or body corporate is found to be disqualified by the said Acts from holding or owning beneficially such shares.

RELIEF IN RESPECT OF INCOME TAX AND SURTAX.

Section 7 of the Finance Act, 1932, as amended by Section 7 of the Finance Act, 1935, provides for relief to the extent of 20 per cent. of the Income Tax and Surtax payable by individual investors resident solely in Saorstát Eireann in respect of dividends received on certain Saorstát Eireann Stocks, Shares and Securities. Application has been made to the Minister for Finance for a Certificate under Sub-section (2) of Section 7 of the Finance Act, 1932, for the purpose of securing the above-mentioned relief for investors in the Shares of the present Issue and the following letter has been received:—

Roinn Airgid,
Sráid Mhuirbhtheann Uacht,
Baile Atha Cliath,
22 Mí na Samhna, 1935.

A Chàirde,

With reference to the particulars given by you as to the forthcoming issue of 35,000 6½% Cumulative Preference Shares of £1 each and 40,000 Ordinary Shares of £1 each by Irish Wire Products, Limited, I am directed by the Minister for Finance to state that, on the basis of the information supplied and subject to his being satisfied that the requirements of the relevant Statute have been complied with in relation to the allotment of shares he will be prepared in due course to issue a certificate in accordance with sub-section (2) of Section 7 of the Finance Act, 1932, as amended by Section 7 of the Finance Act, 1935.

I am also to call your attention to the provisions of sub-sections (3) and (4) of Section 7 of the Finance Act, 1932, and Sub-section (2) of Section 7 of the Finance Act, 1935.

Misc, le meas,
(Signed) ARTHUR D. CODLING.

Messrs. John L. Scallan & Co.,
Solicitors,
25 Suffolk street, Dublin.

Assuming the applicable rate of Tax to be 4/6 in the £, the Cumulative Preference Shares of the present Issue offer the same net yield to qualified individual investors as a security offering a **gross yield of approximately £6 17s. 6d. per cent.** to which the above relief does not apply.

The Bank of Ireland, College Green, Dublin, and Branches, as Bankers to the Company, are authorised to receive applications for the Preference and Ordinary Shares of the present issue, payable as follows:—

	Preference Shares.	Ordinary Shares.
On application	5s. 0d. per Share.	5s. 0d. per Share.
On allotment	5s. 0d. per Share.	5s. 0d. per Share.
On April 7th, 1936	10s. 0d. per Share.	10s. 0d per Share.
Total	20s. 0d. per Share.	20s. 0d. per Share.

Applicants for Preference Shares are entitled to apply for Ordinary Shares (but only on the same Application Form) and to have allotted not more than two Ordinary Shares for every three Preference Shares allotted. Applications may be made for Preference Shares only, but applications for Ordinary Shares only will not be considered.

Preferential consideration will be given to applications (on special pink forms provided) by Ironmongery and Hardware traders, resident in Saorstát Eireann.

DIRECTORS.

JOHN PLUNKETT DILLON, Ludford Park, Dundrum, Co. Dublin, Solicitor. (Director, Francis Spaight and Sons, Ltd., Limerick, and other Companies). *(Chairman).*
DAVID ANTHONY DWYER, East Hill, Bickley, Kent, England. (Managing Director, F. C. Hibberd and Co., Ltd., London). *(Managing Director).*
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F. J. SCARRY, 4/5 WESTMORELAND STREET, DUBLIN.

PROSPECTUS

OBJECTS.—The Company was incorporated on the 20th day of November, 1935, for the purposes set out in the Memorandum of Association (a copy of which is printed in the fold hereof) and in particular to build and equip a Factory and to manufacture therein wood screws, nails, staples, rivets, tacks, bolts, nuts and studs, shoe bills and all other classes of wire products and to carry on the business of wire drawing, tool-making and general engineering, and to manufacture and deal in precision tools of all kinds.

For the present, the Company will confine its activities to the manufacture of wood screws, wire and cut nails, tacks and certain classes of rivets. Care has been taken to plan the Factory so as to permit of extension in due course to cover all classes of rivets, staples, and shoe bills.

PREMISES.—In considering the location of the Company's Factory the Promoters have been influenced by the importance of procuring a position giving easy access to sea and rail and affording, at a reasonable cost, adequate room for the future growth and expansion of the industry. Various sites were offered and explored, but in view of the heavy nature of the Company's raw material and products, and the fact that practically all the raw material would be imported, it was desirable to obtain the best possible facilities for handling and transport. The Directors finally selected the docks at Limerick as the most suitable position and were successful in getting 4 acres of ground on the newly-constructed dock extension on a long lease. The Company is therefore assured of an ideal position for its Factory. Not the least of the many advantages which can be obtained from the selected site on the dock side are the economies that will result from first-class handling facilities ex-ship, easy access to road and rail transport, and ample ground space for the most suitable lay-out of the Factory premises.

PLANT AND EQUIPMENT.—The Company's plant, machinery and equipment is being obtained from Manufacturers of the highest standing in Europe, who have provided the machinery for some of the largest and most efficient factories in the industry. The Directors are taking every precaution to ensure that the plant and machinery will be capable of producing goods of the best quality on the most economic lines. Arrangements have been made to secure expert supervisory assistance from the Machinery Manufacturers for such period as may be considered necessary. The Company by operating a wire drawing plant of its own will be able to work on steel and brass rods of standardised diameter, thereby effecting a considerable saving in the cost of its raw material. The Machine Tool Shop, which it is proposed to establish in due course for the production of precision tools, will supply not only the requirements of the Factory itself, but the requirements of outside customers engaged in other industries, including especially transport and engineering.

GOVERNMENT PROTECTION.—In pursuance of an Order, entitled Emergency Imposition of Duties (No. 82) Order, 1935, made by the Executive Council under the Emergency Imposition of Duties Act, 1932, a duty of customs at the rate of 75 per cent. ad valorem has been imposed in respect of the following articles made wholly or mainly of iron, steel, copper, brass, bronze, or gunmetal, or of a combination of any two or more of those metals:—

(a) Screws which have a slotted head and a tapered thread, and are not less than one-quarter of one inch nor more than five inches in length;
(b) nails, sprigs, brads and tacks which are not more than six inches in length but excluding any such nail, sprig, brad or tack of which the smaller or smallest diameter or width of the head exceeds one-half of one inch and also excluding any such nail, sprig, brad or tack made mainly of iron or steel, of which the head is covered with brass, bronze, copper, leather or any textile material;
(c) staples;
(d) rivets, of which the shank at its narrowest point does not exceed one-quarter of one inch in diameter.

There is no preferential rate of duty.

Emergency Duty, where chargeable under Ref. No. 241 (e) of the Customs and Excise Tariff in respect of any of the articles indicated which are made wholly or mainly of iron or steel, is chargeable in addition to the duty imposed by the Order.

The following is an extract from a letter (T.I.D. 118/7) dated 26th November, 1934, received from the Secretary of the Department of Industry and Commerce, relating to this undertaking:—

"It is the general policy of the Minister to refuse facilities to external "firms where he is satisfied that the industries already in existence in the "Saorstát are in a position to supply the home market. I am to state "that on the assumption that the plans outlined in your letter of 12th "instant are carried out, the Minister will not be disposed to grant facili"ties by way of guarantee under the Trade Loans (Guarantee) Acts or by "way of licences for the duty free importation of plant or equipment or "raw or semi-manufactured materials, which would otherwise be dutiable, "to any firm or individual proposing to manufacture articles which are "already being supplied by your Company of a satisfactory quality, at "reasonable prices, and in quantities sufficient to meet the demand of the "Saorstát market.

TECHNICAL MANAGEMENT.—The Company has entered into agreements with Mr. D. A. Dwyer, A.M.I.Mech.E., to act as Resident Managing Director, and with Mr Thomas Watson to act as Consultant and Adviser. Mr. Dwyer was Managing Director for a number of years of an organisation which produced wire products similar to those intended to be manufactured by the Company. He is at present Managing Director of Messrs. F. C. Hibberd and Co., Ltd., London, who carry on the business of Locomotive Engineers. Mr. Watson was for many years Works Manager of Hall Telephone Accessories Co., Ltd., Willesden, London, and has had considerable experience in operating automatic machinery and in the production of precision tools. The Company is, therefore, assured from the outset of the very best technical management.

MARKET.—An estimate of the available market in the Saorstat may be obtained by reference to the official statistics relating to the imports of articles similar to those which it is intended to manufacture. The average annual import of nails, tacks, staples, rivets and washers for the six years 1929 to 1934 amounts to £87,505, while for the year 1934 alone, the imports under this head are valued at £93,512. Bolts, nuts and screws were imported during the six years from 1929 to 1934 at an average annual value of £66,718. Imports during 1934 of bolts, nuts and screws amounted to £53,387. The Directors are therefore satisfied that the estimated annual turnover of £65,000, upon which they have based their calculations, is a very conservative figure.

EARNING CAPACITY.—Mr. D. A. Dwyer, A.M.I.Mech.E., the Managing Director of the Company, submits the following observations:—

"With an output calculated on a conservative estimate of the available "market I am of opinion that, when the initial stages of development are "passed, there should be a net annual profit available for dividend of at least "£7,000, after providing for all expenses, including depreciation. The Cumu"lative Preferential Dividend, amounting to £2,275, would therefore be "covered more than three times, leaving available for Reserves and divi"dends on the Ordinary Shares a sum in excess of 10 per cent. on the "amount of the Ordinary Share Capital. With the Company's products "fully tested by the Saorstát public, and the probability of early expansion "into other lines of production, I have every reason to anticipate a very "prosperous future for the new Company."

ESTIMATED CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS.

The Capital requirements of the Company, for the stage of development at esent contemplated, are estimated by the Directors as follows:—

	£
Construction of factory premises, offices, stores, etc., and installation of all services	12,500
Plant and machinery, including cost of installation	26,500
Preliminary expenses	7,000
Working Capital	29,000
	£75,000

The cost of construction of factory premises, etc., has been estimated by the sulting Engineer to the Company, while the figure for plant and machinery based upon firm estimates received from the Manufacturers. The sum re red for working capital has been carefully computed by the Managing Direc , and the Directors are of opinion that the above provision is ample for present purposes of the Company.

Under Contract No. 4 (mentioned below) The Industrial Credit Company, ., has agreed to underwrite the entire amount of the present Issue (with exception of the 25,000 shares to be subscribed for by the Directors and r friends), for an underwriting commission of 3 per cent. and an overriding mission of 1 per cent on the issue price of the shares, and have agreed to Brokerage in respect of the shares so underwritten, in addition to the of printing, circularising and advertising the Prospectus and all other in ntal expenses of the Issue up to and including the posting of the Letters Allotment, but exclusive of Stamp Duties on Capital and Legal and Account charges, in consideration of a further payment of £2,350.

STATUTORY AND GENERAL INFORMATION.

A copy of the Memorandum of Association of the Company, with the names, resses and descriptions of the signatories and the number of shares sub ibed for by them respectively, is printed in the fold hereof, and forms part of Prospectus. Clause 5 of the Memorandum of Association sets out the ts and privileges attaching to the Shares of the present Issue.

The Articles of Association provide (inter alia) as follows:—

5. The original Share Capital of the Company is £125,000, divided into 000 Cumulative Preference Shares of £1 each, and 70,000 Ordinary Shares 1 each; the said Preference Shares shall confer the rights set out in Clause the Memorandum of Association, but the right of the holders to receive e of and attend and vote at General Meetings shall be limited as pro by Article 85 hereof.

3. The minimum subscription upon which the Directors may proceed to ment is 7 Ordinary Shares of £1 each, and no allotment shall be made y share capital of the Company unless the minimum subscription has been ribed and the sum payable on application therefor has been paid to and ed by the Company.

2. The Directors may from time to time at their discretion raise or w or secure the payment of any sum or sums of money for the purposes of Company, but so that the amount at any one time owing in respect of ys so raised, borrowed or secured shall not without the sanction of a ution passed by a majority of three-fourths at a General Meeting of the rs of Preference Shares exceed one half of the nominal amount of the issued capital for the time being. Nevertheless no lender or other person g with the Company shall be concerned to see or inquire whether this is observed.

5. On a show of hands every member present in person shall have one and upon a poll every member present in person or by proxy shall have one for every share held by him; provided that the holders of Preference Shares have no right to receive notice of or to be present or to vote, either in n or by proxy, at any General Meeting by virtue or in respect of their gs of Preference Shares, unless their Preferential Dividend shall be six s in arrear, or unless a resolution is proposed for winding-up the Company erwise affecting the rights or privileges of the holders of Preference Shares. e a corporation being a member is present by a representative who is not mber, such representative shall be entitled to vote for such corporation on a show of hands and at a poll.

9. The instrument appointing a proxy shall be in writing under the hand appointor or of his attorney, or, if such appointor is a corporation, under ommon seal or the hand of its attorney. No person shall be appointed xy who is not a member of the Company and qualified to vote, save that orporation being a member of the Company may appoint as its proxy one officers or any other person though not a member of the Company.

98. The qualification of a Director shall be the holding of Ordinary Shares in the Company of the nominal value of at least £500.

100. The Directors shall be paid out of the funds of the Company by way of remuneration for their services at the rate of £1,000 per annum, and such further sums as the Company in General Meeting may from time to time determine, and such remuneration shall be divided among them in such proportions and manner as the Directors may determine, and in default of such determination within the year equally. The Directors shall be repaid all travelling and other expenses incurred by them while engaged upon the business of the Company or in attending or returning from Board Meetings.

113. The Directors may from time to time appoint one or more of their body to be Managing Director or Managing Directors of the Company or Technical Director or Directors, either for a fixed term or without any limitation as to the period for which he or they is or are to hold such office, and may from time to time remove or dismiss him or them from office and appoint another or others in his or their place or places.

114. A Managing Director or Technical Director shall not, while he continues to hold that office, be subject to retirement by rotation, and he shall not be taken into account in determining the rotation or retirement of Directors, but he shall, subject to the provisions of any contract between him and the Company, be subject to the same provisions as to resignation and removal as the other Directors of the Company, and if he cease to hold the office of Director from any cause he shall ipso facto and immediately, cease to be a Managing Director, or Technical Director.

115. The remuneration of a Managing Director or Technical Director shall from time to time be fixed by the Directors and may be by way of salary or commission or participation in profits or by any or all of those modes.

No shares of the Company are being issued otherwise than for payment in cash, and no shares are under option.

The Directors are interested as follows:—

Mr. J. Plunkett Dillon is a Director of this Company and also sole surviving partner in the firm of John L. Scallan and Company, Solicitors, 25 Suffolk street, Dublin, Solicitors to the Company, who will receive the proper legal charges in respect of services rendered in connection with the formation of the Company.

Mr. D. A. Dwyer is interested under Contract No. 2 (below).

The following contracts which may or may not be material have been entered into:—

1. Indenture of lease dated 25th day of November, 1935, made between the Limerick Harbour Commissioners and the Company whereby the lands therein specified were leased to the Company for the term of 999 years subject to the yearly rent of £100 and to the covenants on the lessees' part and the conditions contained therein.
2. Agreement made between the Company and David Anthony Dwyer, dated the 25th day of November, 1935, whereby David Anthony Dwyer has agreed to become Managing Director of the Company for a period of five years at a salary of £1,500 per annum, subject to the specific conditions and provisions contained therein.
3. Agreement made the 25th day of November, 1935, between the Company and Thomas Watson, being an agreement for the provision of Technical Services to the Company by Mr. Watson.
4. Agreement made the 25th day of November, 1935, between the Company and The Industrial Credit Company, Limited, being the underwriting and issuing agreement referred to above.

The preliminary expenses are estimated at £7,000 and are payable by the Company.

If any application is not accepted in full, the surplus paid on application will be applied towards the amount payable on allotment, and any balance returned to the Applicant. If no allotment is made, the amount paid on application will be returned in full. Failure to pay any instalment on the due date will render the amount previously paid liable to forfeiture and the relative allotment liable to cancellation. Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. per annum may be charged on amounts overdue. Payment may be made in full after allotment, but no discount will be allowed.

Share Certificates will be ready for delivery in exchange for fully-paid Allotment Letters, on and after May 5th, 1936.

Copies of the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, of the above-mentioned contracts, and the originals of the above-quoted letters from the Department of Finance and the Department of Industry and Commerce, may be inspected at the offices of the Company's Solicitors, during business hours on any day while the List of Subscriptions remains open.

A brokerage at the rate of 3d. per Share will be paid to Bankers, Stockbrokers, and Financial Houses on all Shares allotted to the public in respect of applications bearing their stamp.

Applications for Shares should be made on the accompanying Form and lodged with the Bank of Ireland, College Green, Dublin, and Branches, together with a cheque for the amount payable on application.

Prospectuses and Forms of Application may be obtained from any branch of the Bank of Ireland, from any Stockbroker, from the offices of the Company, or from The Industrial Credit Company, Limited, 9 Leinster street, Dublin.

Dated November 28th, 1935.

(THIS FORM MAY BE USED.)

For use by Issuing House only.
No. ....

Irish Wire Products, Limited

(Incorporated under the Companies Acts, 1908 to 1917.)

ISSUE AT PAR OF
35,000 6½ PER CENT CUMULATIVE PREFERENCE SHARES OF £1 EACH,
AND
40,000 ORDINARY SHARES OF £1 EACH.

FORM OF APPLICATION.
To the Directors of IRISH WIRE PRODUCTS, LIMITED.

Applicants for Preference Shares are entitled to apply for Ordinary Shares (but only on the same Application Form) and to have allotted not more than two Ordinary Shares for every three Preference Shares allotted. Applications may be made for Preference Shares only, but applications for Ordinary Shares only will not be considered.

GENTLEMEN,
Having paid to your Bankers a deposit as follows:—
(1) 5/- per Share on Application for .... of the above Preference Shares ... £ : :
and
(2) 5/- per Share on Application for .... of the above Ordinary Shares ...... £ : :
Making a total deposit of.... £ : :

I/We hereby apply for and request you to allot to me/us that number of Shares and I/We hereby undertake and agree to accept the same or any less number of such (respective) Shares that you may allot to me/us, upon the terms of the Company's Prospectus dated November 28th, 1935, as filed with the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies, and subject to the Memorandum and Articles of Association of the Company, and I/We hereby undertake and agree to pay the amount payable on Allotment and the further instalment due on any Shares allotted to me/us as specified in the said Prospectus, and I/We authorise you to place my/our name(s) on the Register of Members of the Company as the holder(s) of the Shares allotted to me/us.

I/We declare that I/We (or .... of ....) will be the beneficial owner(s) of any Shares allotted pursuant to this application and that I am a/we are / he is a/they are qualified person(s) or a qualified holding body corporate as mentioned in the Prospectus and within the definitions contained in the Control of Manufactures Act, 1934.*

Dated this .... day of 1935

Please Write Distinctly.
Usual Signature ....
Name (in full) ....
(IN BLOCK LETTERS.) (If a lady, state whether Mrs. or Miss.)
Address (in full) ....
....
Profession or Occupation ....

For use only where the Shares are to be registered in the names of Joint Holders.
Usual Signature ....
Name (in full) ....
(IN BLOCK LETTERS.) (If a lady, state whether Mrs. or Miss.)
Address (in full) ....
....
Profession or Occupation ....

***This form of declaration should be struck out if not applicable.** The definition of a qualified person, according to Section 2 (3) of the Control of Manufactures Act, 1934, is either

(a) a person born in Saorstát Eireann or the area now comprised in Saorstát Eireann, or
(b) a person who is and for not less than five consecutive years immediately preceding 2nd July, 1934, has been ordinarily resident in Saorstát Eireann.

The definition of a qualified holding body corporate is set out in Section 9 (1) (f) (i) of the Control of Manufactures Act, 1934.

This form should be filled up and forwarded to the Bank of Ireland, College Green, Dublin, or any Branch, together with a remittance for the amount payable on application.

Cheques should be drawn payable to "Bearer" and crossed "Not Negotiable."

(Any alteration from "Order" to "Bearer" must be initialled by the Drawer.)

No receipt will be issued for the payment on application, but an acknowledgment will be forwarded in due course, either by Letter of Allotment, in whole or in part, or by return of the deposit.

K.A.A.

Financial News & Notes

DUBLIN CHEERFUL

NEW CONVERSION LOAN STRONG

GREAT NORTHERN RAILS HIGHER

Public interest on the Dublin Stock Exchange yesterday was mainly confined to local securities, and the tone was harder in most sections.

The feature was the commencement of dealings in the New 4 per cent. Conversion Loan at 104¾, but the market was a small one, and closed rather buyers. Other Free State issues were much busier, and displayed a steady to firm appearance. British Funds inclined easier, with War Loan 3s. 9d. lower.

Banks came in buyers, and both Munster and Leinsters and Nationals added several pence.

Guinness units hardened to 146s., and Distillers Ordinary in the late dealings advanced to 96s. 9d. buyers.

Grand Canal Ordinary jumped to 42s. 6d.

Home Rails made a mixed showing. Great Northern issues were in request, and the Guaranteed spurted three points. Great Southern prior charges inclined to give way, and the Guaranteed fell a point.

Dublin Tram Ordinary held 87s. 6d., and Bolands Ordinary rose 1s. 6d., while Ranks (Ireland) Pref. hardened to 14s. 10½d.

Irish Cinema issues improved on the report for the past year, and May Roberts (Ireland) Ordinary recovered to 29s. The rest of industrial section held steady.

British Industrials were again very idle, and the few changes that took place were small and featureless.

LONDON BETTER

BRITISH RAILS ADVANCE

Although the recent firmness of Gilt-edged securities was not maintained, the London Stock Markets provided several interesting features yesterday, and there was a distinct improvement in the general tone. Sentiment was stimulated by the rise in retail sales figures, the record rayon output for last month, and favourable items of company news, and as a result dealers in all directions encountered fresh speculative and investment demand. Prices quickly responded, and at the finish many good rises were noticeable, gains in Electrical Equipment shares being especially prominent.

BRITISH FUNDS

Little interest was taken in the Gilt-edged market, and with scattered selling in progress prices gave way all round. Old Consols lost ¾ to 85, while War Loan, Local Loans, and 3½ per cent. Conversions were others which declined rather sharply. India stocks again moved irregularly, and quotations for New Zealand Bonds were lowered as a result of the Labour majority at the elections.

VALUE OF THE £

	Thursday.	Wednesday.	Per Cent of Parity.
NEW YORK	4.93 1/16	4.93 11/16	101.4
MONTREAL	4.98½	4.98¾	102.4
AMSTERDAM	7.28¾	7.29¼	60.2
BERLIN	12.27	12.27½	60.1
BRUSSELS	29.17½	29.21	83.4
COPENHAGEN	22.40	22.40	123.4
GENEVA	15.26	15.29	60.5
MILAN	Nom.	Nom.	—
OSLO	19.90½	19.90½	109.6
PARIS	74⅞	75 1/32	60.3
STOCKHOLM	19.39½	19.39½	106.8
KOBE	14d.	14d.	175.7

FOREIGN BONDS

In the Foreign Bond section the reception of more reassuring news from Pernambuco was responsible for a rally in Brazilians. The Funding issues showed advances ranging up to 1½. European issues were mostly quiet, but Germans were an active and firm exception. Greek and Italian Bonds finished dull, and falls were the rule among Far Easterns.

RAILS

The British Rail group presented an attractive appearance, prices being higher in almost every instance. The firm tendency was attributed mainly to the dividend announcement by the London, Midland and Scottish Co. The most important change was a rise of ¾ to 85 in Southern Preferred, due to buying on hopes of a favourable rating decision. Foreign Rails remained out of favour, and many issues lost ½, while Cordoba Central 1st Debs. dropped 1½ to 29. Colonials were inclined to droop, but American Rails found buyers and closed firm.

INDUSTRIALS

Chief interest in the Industrial Market was concentrated on shares affected by individual factors, but general activity was on a larger scale than of late, and price movements usually favoured holders. The outstanding feature was strength of Electrical Equipments. From the start Crompton Parkinson received substantial support on talk of a large increase in orders, and with the shares in short supply the price jumped sharply. Rayon shares were another bright spot, the tone in this section benefiting from the rayon production figures. Iron and Steel shares displayed a firm front, and in the Brewery group Distillers were a good feature on dividend expectations. Several Motor shares also advanced, and values in the Stores group were higher where changed. Elsewhere Crittalls continued to improve, and Turner and Newalls showed up well.

MINES

The turnover in the Mining markets was again limited; but Kaffirs, although not greatly altered, were firm. West African and other Gold shares were easier for choice. Diamond shares came into renewed demand, and Copper shares moved in the right direction, while a rise in Zinc Corporation Ord. following the raising of the interim was a notable change.

Oil shares were quiet pending developments in the Continental situation, and at the finish prices were slightly lower.

MOTORS AND TEXTILES

BIRMINGHAM

Motors patchy in tone. Rileys strong at 60/3. Raleighs supported at 54/9, also Dennis at 30/9. Austins slipped back to 40/6, also Standards to 69/9. Rovers 22/6, Hudsons 39/3, and Dunlops 38/9, all easier.

Alvis	12/-	Leylands	76/7½
Austin "A"	37/3	Lucas	61/3
Bluemels	40/6	Napiers	12/3
Enfields	24/9	Rolls	151/3
Fords	33/3	Singers	8/-
Humbers	21/-	Triumphs	6/7½

MANCHESTER

Textiles mostly firm. Turner and Newall rose sharply on dividend announcement.

Bleachers	7/3-7/6	Courtaulds	56/-56/3
Calicos	9/9-10/3	Dunlops	39/-39/6
Dyers	10/3-10/9	Turner & Newall	61/6-62/-
Cottons	46/-47/-		
Spinners	7/9-8/3	Wall Paper Def.	55/3-55/6
"Slubbers"	6/-6/3		
Coats	65/-65/6	A. & S. Henry	13/-13/3
Velvets	4/6-5/-		

INSURANCE SHARES

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON:—Alliance, 28¾; Atlas, 15 1/16; Commercial Union, 10 1/16, ¼, ¼, 1/16; Eagle Star Ord., 23, ⅛, ¼, 1/16; Employers', 67/-, 9d.; General Accident, 25¾, ⅛, 1/16, ⅛, ¼; Guardian, £15 2/3, 15¼; London and Lancashire Fire, 34¼, £34 16/9; North British and Mercantile, 50, 49¾; Phœnix, 15¼; do. (£1 fully paid), 17¼; Prudential, 37⅛, ⅛, ¼; do. "B" £1 (4/- paid), 110/-, 8/-, 5d.; Royal Exchange, 10¼, £10 9/6; Royal Insurance, 9 7/16, 11/16; Sun Insurance (x.d.), 92/3, 3/1½; Yorkshire, 9¼, ⅛.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Alliance, 28¾; Commercial Union, 10 1/16, 1/16, 1/16, 3/5½, 1½d., 1/16; Employers' Liability, 67/3; General Accident, Fire, and Life, 25¾; Guardian, 15 3/16; London and Lancashire, 34¼; London, 15¾; North British and Mercantile, 49¾, ¾; Phœnix, 15¼; Royal, 9 11/16, 1/16, 11/16, 1/16, 11/16; Sea, 100/9; Sun Office (x.d.), 93/3, 6d.; Yorkshire, 9¼.

MARKETS AT A GLANCE

Thursday.

STOCKS AND SHARES:
London better.
Dublin cheerful.
Manchester Textiles mostly firm.
Birmingham Motors patchy.
New York closed.

MONEY:

Bank of England Rate	2	p.c.
Last Year	2	p.c.
Irish Bank Rate	3	p.c.
London Day-to-Day Loans	½	p.c.
London Three Months' Bills	7/16	p.c.
Price of Gold	140/11	
Silver (spot)	29⅛d.	

THE INDUSTRIAL MARKET

MORE ACTIVE CONDITIONS

More active conditions prevailed in the Industrial Market yesterday, and several bright features developed. Most of the interest centred around shares influenced by recent company announcements.

With Wall Street closed in celebration of Thanksgiving Day, there was little fresh business passing on this side in the trans-Atlantic counters. Prices generally remained around the parity levels. "Emmies" moved within narrow limits. The feature among Cinema shares was again provided by Unions, which were marked up ⅛ to the new high level of 7½. Cable and Wireless Preference held around 105¼, but the junior issues reacted slightly.

Strength was displayed by Electrical Equipments, under the lead of Crompton Parkinson, for which a keen demand existed, which took the price up at one time to 109s. 6d. Later, however, the price reacted to 108s., although this still left them 8s. up on the day. Associated were again in good request, and Generals were bought on dividend anticipations.

MOTORS IRREGULAR.

An irregular tendency prevailed among Motor shares. Strength was displayed by Dennis Bros. Leylands, however, fell 6d., and Standards gave way a further 1s. 6d.

Aviation and kindred descriptions again had a dull appearance, due to end-of-the-account realisations.

Business in Iron and Steel descriptions was of a quiet character, but generally a satisfactory tendency was maintained. Whitehead Iron continued in demand on dividend hopes, and Tube Investments met with buyers.

The Stores section was not affected very much by the announcement of an increase in retail sales. Woolworth and Marks and Spencers were easier. Tate and Lyle proved rather better at 87s., following the full report, while Unilevers were steady.

There was not much activity in the Textile group. Calico Printers were on the dull side, as were Bradford Dyers.

Rayons were irregular, despite the good output figures. Courtaulds improved at first to 56s. 6d., but reacted later to 55s. 10½d. British Celanese Ord. were better, and Canadian Celanese gained 1/16.

BREWERIES BETTER.

Although easier in places, Breweries generally gave a better display. Benskins improved to 85s. 6d. in anticipation of the annual report, while Guinness, Fremlins and South African Ord. found fresh supporters.

The Tobacco leaders still seemed rather undecided in their movements. Carreras were subject to end-account sales; "Imps" also lost the turn; "Bats" and United South held around the overnight levels.

In the Newspaper group small gains were shown by *Daily Mirror* and *Sunday Pictorial*, but slightly lower prices ruled for *Daily Mail* and General Trust and Allied.

In the Shipping section E.D. and R.M. Realisation issues continued in request, closing at 34s. 3d. and 35s. respectively; while the income Debs. were marked up to 102½. On the other hand, P. and O. Defd. and Furness Withy were a few pence easier.

GOOD GAINS.

The Miscellaneous section made a more cheerful showing, and, under the influence of satisfactory reports and dividends, several good gains were recorded. Turner and Newalls came in for renewed support on the increased profits and dividends, rising 2s. 1½d. to 62s. 1½d. British Oxygens hardened, and Crittalls were also a bright spot. Triplex Glass sagged and Dunlops were dull. British Aluminium and United Molasses lost ground.

OILS SMALL

Following the development of an easier tendency on Wednesday, business in Oil Shares yesterday was on only a moderate scale, although, having regard to the approach of the carry-over, dealers described the turnover as satisfactory. Bearing in mind the improvement which has taken place in certain of the better-class shares, and also in certain of the more speculative favourites, end of the account realisations were not unexpected, but it was satisfactory that the shares offered were generally well absorbed. As on the preceding day, there was little doing on Continental account, which was hardly surprising, in view of the political situation. Small buying orders alternated with moderate sales, which had little influence on prices of international counters.

RUBBERS QUIET

The Rubber Share market remained inactive yesterday, and business was transacted in very few issues. Orient Trust and Anglo-Dutch were inquired for and hardened, but Kuala Lumpur, United Sua Betong, and one or two others were affected by selling, though the resultant declines were small. In the commodity section trading was on a fair scale and the tendency very steady, spot rubber improving to 6 1/16d. per lb.

BANK OF ENGLAND RETURN

The feature of yesterday's Bank of England return is a fresh rise in the active note issue, due to preparations for the end of the month, and resulting on a corresponding reduction in the reserve.

There is some weakening of the Government position, Public Deposits showing a decrease of £1,922,535 at £19,707,107 and Government securities an increase of £1,925,000 at £85,544,999.

The market position is better, other deposits being merely £18,163 lower at £127,423,010, while other securities have been reduced by £1,752,371 to £22,320,057.

There is a further increase in the total gold stock of £369,895 at £198,439,185, but as the expansion in the note circulation amounts to £2,445,201 at £401,345,467, the reserve, as compared with a week ago, shows a decrease of £2,075,306 at £57,093,718. The proportion of reserve to liabilities has shrunk by 0.89 per cent. to 38.80 per cent.

The Bankers' Clearing House return for the week ended the 27th inst. amounted to £771,549,000 as compared with £730,384,000 in the corresponding week of last year, an increase of £41,165,000.

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT

THURSDAY.

Barometer at 5 p.m.—29.60.

Wind and Weather—W.S.W. wind, strong breeze; dull and overcast.

Foreign Arrivals—Clonlara, from Valencia, with a cargo of fruit; Argun, from Bergen, with a cargo of timber.

Coastwise Arrivals—Lady Leinster, from Liverpool, with passengers and goods; Lairdsmoor, from Glasgow, with passengers and goods; Assaroe, from Silloth, with passengers and goods; Cato, from Bristol, with goods; Lady Wicklow, from Manchester, with goods; Lady Galway, from Liverpool, with goods; Lady Martin, from London, with goods; Ashfield, from Actongrange, with coal; Thelma, Mayflower, St. Kenneth, from Garston, with coal; St. Mungo, from Manchester, with coal; Louie Rose, from Port Talbot, with coal; Pine, from Newport, with coal; Amy Summerfield, from Birkenhead, with coal; Glenageary, from Ardrossan, with coal; Portway, from Manchester, with fuel oil; Slieve Bloom, from Heysham, light; Slieve Donard, from Holyhead, light.

PROSPECTUS

By Order of the Directors. New Issue of Ordinary Stock.

THE ALLIANCE AND DUBLIN CONSUMERS' GAS COMPANY

(Established 1845. Incorporated 1847. Re-incorporated 1866.)

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Messrs. KEAN & Co. (Chartered Accountants).
SOLICITORS.
Messrs. D. & T. FITZGERALD.
GENERAL MANAGER AND SECRETARY.
WILLIAM JAMES GREY, A.C.A.
HEAD OFFICE.
24a D'OLIER STREET, DUBLIN, C. 5.
BANKERS.
HIBERNIAN BANK LIMITED, College Green, Dublin, C. 1.
DISTRICT BANK LIMITED, 75 Cornhill, London, E.C. 3.
BROKERS.
M. DILLON & SON, 3 Trinity street, Dublin.
PEMBER & BOYLE, 6 Princes street, Bank, and Stock Exchange, London, E.C. 2.

THE ALLIANCE AND DUBLIN CONSUMERS' GAS COMPANY

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS OF SALE BY TENDER OF SUCH AN AMOUNT OF CONSOLIDATED ORDINARY STOCK AS WITH THE PREMIUMS OBTAINED ON THE SALE THEREOF WILL REALISE THE SUM OF

£300,000

being Additional Capital Stock proposed to be issued in exercise of powers reserved to the Company under the Alliance and Dublin Gas Act 1909, Section 17, and under the authority of a resolution passed at an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on the 28th day of March, 1935.

The Directors of the above Company give notice that they will be prepared to receive tenders, subject to the conditions hereinafter contained, for the above amount of Consolidated Ordinary Stock of the Company, to be paid up in full on or before the 1st January, 1936, the dividend thereon to commence to accrue from the said 1st January, 1936.

The stock so offered will rank for the Standard Dividend, subject to the Sliding Scale, equally with the existing Consolidated Ordinary Stock on which, for the last nine years, including the half-year ending 30th June last, a Dividend at not less than a rate of seven per cent. per annum has been paid.

At this rate the approximate yield per cent. on the purchase money is shown by the following table:—

On Consolidated Ordinary Stock receiving a Dividend of seven per cent., if tendered for at—

£13 10 0	per £10 or	£135	per £100 stock the yield is	£5 3 8	per cent.
£13 12 0	„	£136	„ „ „	£5 2 11	„
£13 14 0	„	£137	„ „ „	£5 2 2	„
£13 16 0	„	£138	„ „ „	£5 1 5	„
£13 18 0	„	£139	„ „ „	£5 0 9	„
£14 0 0	„	£140	„ „ „	£5 0 0	„
£14 2 0	„	£141	„ „ „	£4 19 3	„
£14 4 0	„	£142	„ „ „	£4 18 7	„
£14 6 0	„	£143	„ „ „	£4 17 11	„
£14 8 0	„	£144	„ „ „	£4 17 3	„
£14 10 0	„	£145	„ „ „	£4 16 6	„

The lowest price quoted on the Dublin Stock Exchange during the six months ended on the date hereof for the Company's Consolidated Ordinary Stock was £13 12s. 6d. per £10 Stock or £136 5s. 0d. per £100 Stock; the highest during the same period was £14 9s. 4½d. per £10 Stock or £144 13s. 9d. per £100 Stock.

A deposit of £10 per £100 of the nominal amount of stock applied for must accompany each tender, otherwise the tender will not be accepted. The balance of the purchase money is to be paid as follows:— £50 per £100 of Stock on or before the 18th December, 1935, and the remaining balance on or before the 1st January, 1936.

The Stock will rank for dividend as from 1st January, 1936, but no dividend shall be payable in respect of any Stock of which the full balance of the purchase money has not been paid.

The Stock now offered will be registered and the Certificates issued in the names of the allottees, or their nominees, free of expense.

Allottees will also derive the benefit of not less than approximately 2 per cent. in acquiring such stock as may be allotted to them without the expenses usually incurred by purchase on the Stock Exchange in the ordinary way.

The Company having no power under its statutes to pay underwriting commission or brokerage, none has or will be paid.

The Net Revenue of the Company, after providing for Income Tax, for the year ended 30th June last was	£136,262	0	6
The Interest on Debenture Stock amounted to	14,960	0	0
Leaving available for Dividend on the Consolidated Ordinary Stock	121,302	0	6
The Dividend on the Stock already issued absorbed	108,630	15	2
Leaving a Balance of	£12,671	5	4

If to this Balance is added the Interest on Overdraft which will be saved when the new Stock is issued and the profit from the investment of such portion of the proceeds of the issue as will be temporarily available for investment, the resulting Balance would thereupon more than suffice to pay a Dividend of 7 per cent. on the Stock now being issued.

After payment of Dividend for the half-year ended 30th June last, there remained to be carried forward a Balance of Undivided Profit amounting to				£40,436	13	2
The accumulated Funds of the Company on 30th June, 1935, were:—						
Reserve Fund	£108,368	1	2			
Renewal Fund Leasehold	6,807	10	10			
Special Purposes Fund	77,593	8	0			
Contingent Fund	1,436	2	6			
				194,205	2	6
				£234,641	15	8

The Funds are to a large extent invested. The Book Value of Investments at 30th June, 1935, was:—			
On Reserve Fund	£99,375	9	8
On Special Purposes Fund	71,742	14	8
On General Account	9,530	0	0
	£180,648	4	4

The market value, less accrued interest, of these investments on that date was approximately £211,000.

The Company or its predecessors has been manufacturing and supplying gas for 115 years. Its area of supply is the City of Dublin, the Borough of Dun Laoghaire (formerly Kingstown) and other portions of the County of Dublin and the Urban District of Bray, in the County of Wicklow.

The Company has not raised any additional capital for the past twenty-five years, although in the meantime the expenditure, less credits, on Capital Account has been approximately £302,000.

The Balance overspent on Capital Account at 30th June last was £290,619 6s. 6d. The Capital now being raised is required for the purpose of liquidating this Balance and, consequentially, of extinguishing the Company's overdraft and leaving cash resources of approximately £100,000 out of which to meet the continuing expansion of the Company.

In 1922 the "therm" system was adopted as the basis of charging for gas sold by the Company. The following figures illustrate the growth in the Company's business since then:—

Year.	Therms Sold.	Price of Gas Per Therm.	Net Profit after Providing for Interest on Debenture Stock. £ s. d.	Rate of Dividend Per Annum. £ s. d.
1922	6,587,683	1/6	98,201 7 9	5 0 0
1923	6,772,178	1/5 & 1/3	103,853 15 11	5 15 0
1924	6,851,484	1/1	106,425 9 8	6 5 0
1925	7,528,562	1/1	109,065 9 1	6 5 0
1926	8,598,519	1/1 & 11.8d.	90,830 3 5	6 12 6
1927	9,379,865	11.8d.	131,855 19 9	7 0 0
1928	9,624,131	10.8d.	119,776 6 5	7 12 6
1929	10,208,411	„	119,323 15 8	7 12 6
1930	10,651,756	„	122,736 14 9	7 12 6
1931	11,064,429	„	121,391 14 5	7 12 6
1932	11,351,632	„	105,822 11 4	7 6 3
1933	11,549,193	„	108,400 6 2	7 0 0
1934	12,055,147	„	112,724 12 7	7 0 0
Half year ended 30th June, 1935	6,272,999	10.8d.	62,023 1 10	7 0 0

In consequence of the imposition of Duties and new Taxes the Dividend was reduced from the rate paid for the 4½ years ended 30th June, 1932, to the present rate, which has since been maintained.

The Sliding Scale applies to the Company, the Standard Price of Gas, as fixed by the Minister for Industry and Commerce under an Order dated 1st January, 1925, being fifteen pence per therm. The Standard Dividend of 5 per cent. on the Consolidated Ordinary Stock may be increased by 2/6 per cent. per annum for every one-fifth of a penny per therm reduction in the price charged for Gas below fifteen pence and must be reduced in the same ratio for every increase above fifteen pence.

The present selling price is 10.8d. per therm.

The Order of the Minister for Industry and Commerce is subject to revision in the circumstances prescribed by the Regulations under which it was issued.

	£	s.	d.	
The **Total Capital Stock** authorised under the Company's Acts, 1866 to 1909, is	1,851,868	0	0	(a)
of which there has been issued, Consolidated Ordinary Stock	1,551,868	0	0	(b)
Remaining to be issued, including premiums	300,000	0	0	

(a) and (b) include £696,248 added on Conversion.

Premiums amounting to £72,102 7s. 6d. have been received in respect of the Consolidated Ordinary Stock issued.

	£	s.	d.
The **Loan Capital** authorised under the Company's Acts of 1866, 1874, 1883, and 1909 is	474,000	0	0
of which there has been raised Debenture Stock, 4 per cent., Perpetual	374,000	0	0
Remaining to be borrowed	100,000	0	0

Premiums amounting to £6,458 9s. 1d. have been received in respect of the total amount of Debenture Stock issued.

Every tender for the Stock must be for a nominal amount of £10 or more and in multiples of £1, and must be made on the accompanying form and reach the Company's Head Office not later than 11 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, 4th December, 1935. Every tender must specify a rate per £100 Stock; tenders "at the minimum price" but not specifying a rate cannot be accepted.

The Stock will be allotted to the persons tendering the highest price or prices, and in the event of the receipt of tenders sufficient with the premiums to realise more than £300,000, the tenders at the lowest price accepted will, as far as possible, be subject to a pro rata diminution. The minimum price at which Stock will be allotted is the reserve price which will be notified to the Minister for Industry and Commerce as laid down by the Alliance and Dublin Gas Act, 1909.

If no allotment is made the deposit will be returned in full. In case of partial allotment the balance of the deposit will be retained and applied towards payment of the balance of the purchase money, and the surplus if any will be returned.

Payment in full may be made at any time before the due date after allotment, but no discount will be allowed. Failure to pay the balance or any part of it on the due dates will render the allotment liable to cancellation and the deposit liable to forfeiture. Interest at ten per cent. per annum will be charged on balances or any part thereof not paid on the due dates (18th December, 1935, and 1st January, 1936).

The Stock allotted will be registered in the Company's books in the name of the person tendering, or his or her nominee, free of expense, and will be transferable by deed in the usual way as soon as it is fully paid, in amounts or multiples of £1. The minimum holding is, however, £10.

The Company's Consolidated Ordinary Stock is quoted at Dublin, Cork, London, Liverpool and Manchester. Applications will be made in due course to the Committees of these Stock Exchanges to allow dealings in the Stock now being issued.

The Accounts of the Company are made up half-yearly to 30th June and 31st December, and are submitted to the Stockholders in September and March. Dividends are paid in October and April.

Further copies of this Prospectus may be obtained from the Company's Head Office or from the Hibernian Bank Limited and the District Bank Limited or any of their branches or from the brokers named herein.

By Order of the Board of Directors.
WILLIAM JAMES GREY, A.C.A.,
General Manager and Secretary,
Alliance and Dublin Consumers' Gas Company.

Head Office:
24a D'Olier street, Dublin, C. 5.
24th October, 1935.

This Form to be detached and forwarded to the ALLIANCE AND DUBLIN CONSUMERS' GAS COMPANY in a sealed envelope marked "Tender for Stock," so as to be received by the Company not later than 11 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, 4th December, 1935.

The minimum amount of Stock which may be tendered for, or will be allotted, is £10. Above this, tenders may be in amounts or multiples of £1.

The Stock will be registered in the Company's books and the certificates issued in the name of the allottee, or his or her nominee, free of all expense.

ALLIANCE AND DUBLIN CONSUMERS' GAS COMPANY

(a) State here the nominal amount of Stock tendered for.
(b) State here the amount per £100 at which the tender is made.
(c) Strike out the words not required.

I hereby tender for (a) £................of the Consolidated Ordinary Stock of this Company, at the rate of (b) £................per £100 Stock on the terms of the Prospectus dated 24th October, 1935, and agree to accept that amount of Stock, or any lesser amount that may be allotted to me. I enclose herewith (c) Cheque / Postal or Money Order / Cash for £......................, being £10 per cent. deposit of the nominal amount tendered for, and agree to pay to the Company on or before 18th December, 1935, £50 per cent. of the nominal amount of Stock allotted to me and to pay the balance of the purchase money to the Company on or before 1st January, 1936.

Full Name ....
(In block capitals.)
Address ....
Description ....
(If a Lady, please state whether Married, Widow or Spinster.)
Signature ....
Date ...., 1935.

To The Alliance and Dublin Consumers' Gas Company,
Head Office, 24a D'Olier street,
Dublin, C. 5.

Cheques for the deposit should be drawn to "Alliance and Dublin Consumers' Gas Company, or Bearer" and crossed "a/c Payee only. Not negotiable." **Any alteration from Order to Bearer must be signed by the Drawer.** If the deposit is remitted in any other form, the tender should be sent by registered post.

N.B.—No receipt will be issued in respect of the above payment, but an acknowledgment will be forwarded in due course, either by Letter of Allotment or return of deposit.

BELFAST

Belfast Exchange moderately active. 3½ p.c. War Loan 105⅝, Consols at 85, and 3½ p.c. Conversion Loan at 107¼ and 107⅜. Northern Bank "A" eased to 107s. 6d., and Westminster Part-paid 92s. 3d. Belfast Corporation 3½ p.c. 1940 Stock was done at 101½, and odd lot of Belfast Water 5 p.c. 1946-61 Stock at 110. Great Northern Ord. 15½, the Deb. 82, and a transaction in a small lot at 83 was recorded. Among Industrials, British Cotton and Wool Dyers 5s. 10½d., Coats "B" Pref. were done at 31s. 9d., Courtaulds at 56s. 3d., and Fine Spinners at 8s.; York Street Flax Spinning Co. 7 p.c. Pref. repeated 1s. 10½d., Guinness were dealt in at 146s., Robinson and Cleaver Pref. brought 21s. 6d. and the 4 p.c. Deb. 99; Imperial Chemical Ord. changed hands at 37s. 2¼d., Defd. at 9s. and Pref. at 33s. 3d. Business at 38s. yesterday in W. M. Cuthbert Ord. was marked, Cuthbert 6 p.c. Pref. were done at 28s., Nickels 40⅜ and 40 7/16, small lots of Swedish Match "B" at 17s. 3¾d. and "A" shares at 15s. 11¼d.; White, Tomkins and Courage Ord. rose to 41s. 6d., British Aluminium were dealt in at 42s. 9d., Crosse and Blackwells at 6d., Clyde Valley Electric at 43s. 6d., and Sheepbridge Coal and Iron at 27s. 3d.; General Electrics brought 72s. 6d., and 6½ p.c. "A" Pref. 33s.; United Steels were marked at 32s. 2¼d., Modder Deep at 10s. 6d., East Rand Consols at 14s. 4½d., Brocklehurst-Whiston 19s. 6d., and Carrera "B" at 22s. 1½d.

CORK

Second National Loan repeated 112⅝, Third Loan improved to 109½, Fourth Loan unchanged at 98, Conversion Loan 104¾ bid, Land Bonds 111¼, War Loan steady at 105½; Bank Stock 310, Munsters better at 100s., Nationals 49s. 9d.; Great Southern buyers at 38½, ditto Pref. advanced to 47½, ditto Deb. sellers at 86; Great Northern Pref. sellers at 16¼, ditto Guaranteed dealt in at 68½; Cannocks buyers at 32s. 6d., Coats Ord. 64s. 6d., Cork Gas buyers at 7⅜, Cork Corporation 1933 Stock done at 98, John Daly and Co. Ord. and Pref. buyers at 103s., Gouldings Ord. sellers at 5 11/16, Guinness Ord. again quoted 145s. 9d., May Roberts (Ireland), Ltd., Ord. hardened to 29s., closing buyers; McCarthys Pref. buyers at 61s. 3d., Musgraves 7½ p.c. Pref. buyers at 19s.

LONDON "STREET" MARKET

With Wall street closed in celebration of Thanksgiving Day, there was no attempt to form a market in Shorter's Court yesterday evening, dealers dispersing almost immediately. Elsewhere prices were maintained around the "House" closing levels.

WATCHMAN'S DEATH

MAN SENT FOR TRIAL

In the Dublin District Court yesterday, before Mr. McCann, D.J., Matthew Cassidy, Montibello House, Howth, was returned for trial, bail being accepted, on a charge of the manslaughter of Bernard Keeley, a watchman, by knocking him down with his motor car on the Merrion road on November 16.

Inspector Maher, giving evidence, said that the accused made a statement, in which he said that he was driving at a reasonable speed. The sun was strong, and he did not see the watchman.

Mr. D. O'Donovan (Chief State Solicitor's Office) prosecuted; Mr. C. Casey (instructed by Messrs. O'Hagan and Sons) defended.

Mr. J. Vincent Brady watched the proceedings for the next-of-kin; and Mr. G. Byrne (of Messrs. Gerald Byrne and Co.) appeared for the D.U.T.Co.

FINANCIAL PARAGRAPHS

Alliance Gas Co. Ordinary Stock

The Alliance and Dublin Consumers' Gas Co., in a prospectus, published in our issue to-day, gives particulars of an issue which is very unusual, at least so far as the Free State is concerned. It takes the form of a sale by tender of such an amount of Consolidated Ordinary stock as, with the premiums obtained on the sale thereof, will realise the sum of £300,000. The stock now offered will rank for the standard dividend, subject to the sliding scale, equally with the existing Ordinary Stock, on which during the last nine years a dividend of not less than 7 per cent. had been paid. Taking this rate as the basis of a table given in the prospectus it will be seen that a tender for £10 of stock at £13 10s. will yield £5 3s. 8d. As the tenders increase in amount the yield per cent. is, of course, reduced until when £14 is reached an even £5 is returned. When the tender reaches £14 10s. the yield will be reduced to £4 16s. To those who are accustomed to buying stocks and shares in the open market the process of estimating the amount at which they will tender is a very simple one, but there are doubtless large numbers of investors now anxious to take a share in this popular industrial company to whom the table given in the prospectus will be of great assistance. The recent history of the Alliance Gas Co., and its wonderful success as a utility corporation in the City and County of Dublin are too well known to require recapitulation here.

PRICE OF THE STOCK

It is sufficient to point out that the price of the stock in our home market has in recent years stood at a figure which rarely returned more than 5 per cent., although at times when insistent buyers would not be denied the price has been run up almost £14 10s. There is, of course, as tenderers may not all be aware, a possibility that the company on making the statutory reduction in the price of gas may increase the dividend to the statutory limit of £7 12s. 6d. per cent. at which it stood for some time before the present great pressure was brought upon the company to supply the demands of its customers, and to embark on a scale of expenditure which has necessitated the issue of the balance of its Ordinary Stock. During the last three years the sales of gas and the net profit have shown a consistent increase, and there is every reason to believe that a similar expansion as the city grows will be the features of the company's enterprise. It may be reasonably assumed in fact that some relief may be given in respect of the duty on coal, and in such an event the benefit would accrue to consumers and stockholders alike.

CAPITAL AND SALES

The company's works are not only maintained in excellent condition, but are up-to-date in every respect. Gas is manufactured by the most modern methods; but, apart from the gas works proper, the company owns and operates a tar distillery and refinery, sulphate plant, benzole extraction and refining plant, meter factory, and plant for many other subsidiary processes and undertakings.

The new issue will exhaust the company's powers to raise capital by the creation and issue of Consolidated Ordinary Stock, but there still remains to be borrowed an amount of £100,000 4 per cent. Perpetual Debenture Stock. Capital, in relating to sales of gas, compares very favourably with that of the largest gas undertakings.

Tenders for this gilt-edged industrial stock should be made on the form attached to the prospectus, and must be forwarded to the Alliance and Dublin Consumers' head office so as to be received not later than 11 a.m. on Wednesday, December 4.

Irish Wire Products, Ltd.

The full prospectus of this company, a few details of which have already been published, appears in our columns to-day. The authorised share capital is £125,000, divided into 55,000 6½ per cent Cumulative Pref. shares and 70,000 Ord. shares of £1 each. The present issue consists of £35,000 in Pref. shares and 40,000 of Ord. shares. The Directors and their friends have taken for cash 20,000 Ordinary and 5,000 Preference of the present issue. The Pref. dividends will be calculated up to 30th June and 31st December and will be payable on 1st Sept. and 1st March, each year. The provisions of the Control of Manufactures Act will be observed by the Directors in the transfer of shares. The usual relief in respect of Income Tax under Section 7 of the Finance Act, 1932, will be applicable. Applicants for Pref. shares are entitled to apply for Ordinary shares and to have allotted not less than two Ord. shares for every three Pref. shares allotted. Applications for Ord. shares alone will not be entertained. Ironmongery and hardware traders resident in the Free State will be given preferential consideration for applications on the special pink form provided. The company has been formed to build and equip a factory for the manufacture of screws, nails, staples, bolts, nuts, and studs, and all other classes of wire products, and to carry on the business of wire-drawing, tool-making and general engineering and to manufacture and deal in precision tools of all kinds. For this purpose, the company has procured a factory site giving easy access to road, rail, and sea.

FACTORY SITE

The Directors have been fortunate in securing an excellent site of over four acres on the new dock extensions at Limerick. The factory is to be fitted with the most up-to-date plant and machinery for the production of standardised products from steel and brass rods. The company has been assured by the Department of Industry and Commerce that so long as it is in the position to efficiently and economically supply the needs of the Free State, it will not be subjected to unfair competition, and at the start it will enjoy the benefit of the 75 per cent. duty levied on all descriptions of wire products. The Chairman of the company estimates that the earning capacity of the factory will be sufficient to pay the Preference dividend, and at least 10 per cent. on the Ord. shares. The prospectus sets forth the capital requirements to be provided out of this issue of £75,000 as follows:—Factory, offices and services, £12,500; plant and machinery, £26,500; preliminary expenses, £7,000; leaving for working capital, £29,000. The Industrial Credit Company has underwritten the entire issue with the exception of the Directors' shares for an underwriting commission of 3 per cent., and an over-riding commission of 1 per cent., and at the same time has agreed to pay the expenses incurred (exclusive of stamp duty), up to the issue of the allotment letters.

THE DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors is composed exclusively of experienced men now engaged in business, and with the comprehensive privileges secured by the policy of the Government, the prospects of success are highly satisfactory. The Bank of Ireland and Branches will receive applications, and the list of subscriptions will be opened on Monday next, December 2nd, and closed on or before Tuesday, December 3rd.

L.M.S. Preference Dividend

The directors of the London, Midland and Scottish Railway have decided to pay a final dividend of 2½ per cent. on the 5 per cent. Redeemable Preference Stock, 1955, making, with the interim distribution, the full 5 per cent. for the current year. Dividend warrants will be posted on December 31. This announcement is in accordance with market expectations. This 5 per cent. ranks *pari passu* with the 4 per cent. Preference, which received its full dividend for 1934, while for that period 1½ per cent. was paid on the 4 per cent. 1923 Preference. The Redeemable issue is quoted about 104, and, without allowing for some loss on redemption, the yield is a litle over 4⅞ per cent., after deducting the net amount of the dividend from the current price. The Stock is a sound investment, giving a yield considerably greater than can be obtained from trustee securities, in which category "Brum" Redeemable Preference was included when dividends were being paid on the Ordinary capital.

LONDON MINING MARKET

BETTER TENDENCY IN KAFFIRS

Political developments on the Continent continued to exercise a depressing influence on the Mining market yesterday. At the same time a better tendency developed in the Kaffir section. East Rand Props remained in strong favour, and there was some investment buying of Crown Mines, Brakpan, and a few other similar counters, while the newer issues had a cheerful appearance generally.

Diamonds were a distinctly harder market.

In the West African department, Kwahu came on offer, and, in the absence of demand, the price relapsed rather sharply. A rather better tendency developed in the Australian market.

With the price of the metal again on the down grade, Tin descriptions were dullishly inclined, and the majority of movements on balance were against holders, though individual losses were slight. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

M.U.—Nov. 18.

M.U.		
41/0	Afric & Eur	39/6-40/0
31/6	Ang-A. Corp	31/6-32/0+0/6
30/0	Anglo-French	1 13/16-1 15/16
2⅜	Brakpan	2 5/16-2⅜+1/32
23⅜	Cent. Mining	23¾-24
1 21/32	City Deep	1 9/16 1⅝-1/32
3 19/32	Con. Goldfi'ds	3 19/32-3 21/32-1/32
3 13/16	Cons. M. Reef	3 25/32-3 27/32+1/32
31/0	Con. M Sel	30/6-31/0
14 1/16	Crown Mines	14 5/32-14 9/32+1/32
8 9/16	Daggafont'n	8 15/32-8 19/32-1/32
2 29/32	Durban Deep	2 27/32-2 29/32+1/32
1 21/32	E. Daggafont'n	1 21/32-1 23/32+3/32
10⅛	East Geduld	10 5/16-10 7/16
59/3	E. Rand Prop	61/4½-61/10½+0/7½
55/9	E. Rand Cns.	14/9 15/3
11¼	Geduld	11 5/16-11 7/16
1 5/16	Gelden Deep	1 5/16 1⅜
4 7/32	Gen. Mining	4 9/32-4 11/32
3⅝	Govt Areas	3 19/32-3 21/32
10⅛	Grootvlei	10 5/16-10 7/16+⅛
40/6	H.E. Prop.	1 7/16-1 15/16-1/32
3⅞	Joban Invsts	75/6 76/0
2¾	Kleinfontein	2 21/32 2 23/32
1 25/32	Knight's	1 7/8-1 15/16
1 31/32	Lace Prop	1 15/16-2+1/32
33 0	Langlaagte E	31/9-32/3-0/3
15 9	Luipards Vlei	14/9-15/3-0/7½
—	Modderfontn	3⅜ 3 11/16
24/9	Modder B	24/9-25/3
10/0	Modder Deep	10/4½-10/10½+0/3
3 11/16	Modder East	3⅝-3¾+1/16
3¾	New S Areas	3 23/32 3 25/32
3 7/32	Nigel	3 5/32 3 7/32
2 5/32	Nourse	2 7/32 2 9/32
9	Potgietersrust	0/9-1/3
8½	Rand Mines	8 5/16-8 7/16
25/6	Rand Select	25/4½-25/10½+0/4½
55/9	Randfontein	54/6 55/0+0/1½
2 7/16	Robin Deep B	2 15/32-2 17/32
1½	Rose Deep	1 15/32 1 17/32+1/32
16/7½	Spaarwater	16/3-16/6+0/1½
13/9	Simmer & J	13/7½ 13/10½
14/6	S.A. Towns	13 9 14/3
21/0	Sth.-W. Af.	1-1 1/16*
2 9/32	Springs	2¼-2 5/16
3 7/16	Sub Nigel	13 7/16-13 9/16-3/32
6⅝	Trans. Del. B	6½-6⅝
2¼	Trans. Con. L	2 19/32 2 21/32
1 5/16	Trans. Gold	2 27/32-2 29/32-1/32
8 9/16	Union Corp	8 5/16-8 7/16
2 3/32	Van Ryn	2 3/32-2 5/32
3 1/32	Do Deep	2 31/32-3 1/32
	Venterpost	15/3-15/9
2	Vereeniging	1 15/16-2 1/16
2¼	Vogelstruisb'lt	2 1/16-2⅛+1/32
1½	Welgedacht	1 15/32-1 19/32+1/32
35/3	West R. Con	34/0-34/6
2 9/32	West Springs	2 3/16 2¼
4 5/16	West Wit Ar	4 5/16-4⅜+1/32
1 11/16	Wit. Deep	1 11/16-1¾

RHOD. AND EAST AF.

M.U.—Nov. 18.

M.U.		
8/4½	Pechuana Ex	8/3 8/9
4¼	Cam & Motor	4 3/16-4¼
24/0	Char. B.S.A	23/0-23/6-0/1½
8/0	E. Af. Gold (5/0)	7/10½-8/1½
30/3	Globe-Phnx (5)	29/9 30/9
14/4½	GoldF. Rhod	13/6-14/0
1/9	Loangwa	1/7½-1/10½
6/6	Lon. Rhod	6/4½-6 7½
5/6	Lonely Reef	1 1/16-1⅛
—	Phnx Pnce (New)	5/7-6/0
14/3	Rezende	13/6 14/6
6/0	Rho. Kat'nga	6/3 6/9
9/4½	Rhod. Select	10/10½-11/1½+0/3
5 7/16	RhokanaCor	5 5/16-5 7/16-1/16
31/7½	Roan Antel	32/0 32/6-0/1½
18/7½	Select'n Tst.	17/9-18/3-0/6
8/7½	Selukwe (7/6)	7/9-8/3-0/3
7/0	Sherw'd Starr	6/0-7/0
10/9	Tangan.Con	11/3-11/6-0/3
11/9	Do. 6p.c.Pf	12/0-12/3-0/7½
2 19/32	Vic. FallsOrd	3 9/16-3 11/16
28/6	Do. Pref	39/0-40/0
25/0	Wankie Col	24/6-25/6
18/3	Zamb Expl	16/9 17/9

AUSTRALIAN.

M.U.		
2¼	B. Hill Prop	45/6 46/6
4¼	Do. Sth New	4 11/32-4 15/32+1/32
11/7½	Comw'th (5/)	11/0-11/6+0/3
8/6	Gt. Bould'r	9/1½-9/7½-0/1½
24/3	Lake V Star	24/0-24/6*
15/6	Lake V Inv.	15/3-16/3
11/3	Mount Isa	10/9 11/3
7⅛	Nth. Bn. Hill	6 13/16-7 1/16+1/32
2 3/16	Sons of Gwalia	41/6-42/6*
1 5/16	Sth. Kalgurli	1⅛-1 5/16
12/9	Sulphide Ord	12/0-12/9+0/4½
21/3	Do. Pref	23/3-24/3+0/6
57/9	Wiluna Gold	2 29/32-2 31/32
57/6	Zinc Ord (10/)	3⅛-3 3/16+3/32
5¾	Do. Pref	6-6¼+⅛

DIAMOND.

M.U.		
3½	Cons. Af Sel.	3⅞ 4+1/16
6⅛	DeBeers Def	6 5/16 6 7/16+¼
14⅝	Do Pref	14 15/16-15 1/16+3/16
1 3/16	Jagersf'tein	1 5/16-1 7/16
2 3/16	Premier Pref	2¼-2⅜
4/4½	West African	4/0-4/6

COPPER.

M.U.		
9/3	Messina	8/7½-9/1½+0/1½
16/9	Mount Lyell	16.0-16/6*
19½	RioTinto (£5	19⅝-19⅞+¼
3 13/16	Tharsis	3¾-3⅞

TIN.

M.U.—Nov. 18.

M.U.		
2/9	Anglo C.(10/-)	2/6 3/0
4/0	Anglo-Orient	3/3-3/9
13/3	Do Pref	12/0-12/6-0/1½
26/6	Aramayo	1¼ 1⅜
8/4½	Associa'd Tin	8/1½-8/4½*
14/9	Ayer Hitam	14/9-15/3
8/6	Bisichi	8/6-9/0-0/1½
1 15/16	Gopeng	37/9-38/9
27/3	Ipoh	26/9-27/3-0/6
13/0	Kaduna Synd	1 11/32-1 13/32
12/7½	Kamunting	12/3-12/9-0/1½
18/4½	Kram't'Jul	18/3-18/9
8/6	Lond. Tin	7/10½-8/4½-0/1½
29/0	Malayan TD	29/0-29/6
8/0	Naraguta	7/0 8/0
13/9	Pahang(5/)	13/3-13/9*-0/1½
7/6	Pattani (5/)	6/3-7/3*
16/3	Petaling	15/9-16/3
2/6	Pahm'n Hydr	2/-2/6
7/6	Pambuten	5/16-7/16
24/4½	Rawang Con	24/3-25/3*
31/6	Penong	1 9/16-1⅝-1/32
18/3	Siamese	18/9-19/3
3/10½	Tavoy (4/)	3/6-4/0-0/1½
17/0	Tronoh (5/)	16/6-17/0

WEST AFRICAN.

M.U.		
9/9	Ariston	8/7½-9/1½
58/3	Ashanti (4/)	57/9-58/3-0/4½
3/10½	Atta Gold (2/	3/7½-3/10½
18 6	Bibiani	19/6-20/0
13 6	Fanti Cons.	13/9 14/3
25 0	G.Coast Sel	22/9-23/3-0/9
2 19/32	Kwahu(2/)	2⅛-2 3/16-1/16
1/6	L'dhurst Deep	1/1½-1/4½
3/4½	Nth Ashanti	3/3-3/6
38/0	Taqu'h&Abs	39/0-39/6

MISCELLANEOUS

M.U.		
12/6	Burma Corp	12/7½-12/10½+0/3
48/6	Champ. Reef	4/0-49/0
16/10½	Chos. Corp	1 1/16-1⅛*-1/32
3/0	Explor.(10/-)	3/0-3/6
1 9/16	Frontino	1½-1⅝
4½	Min.Sepa't'n	4¼-4¾
4/6	Min.Crp.Can	4 0 4/6
25/0	Mysore (10/)	24/9-25/6
3 1/32	Nundydroog	58/6 59/6
19 3	Ooregum	19/0-19/9
26/9	St.J. Del Rey	27 0-28/0
16 6	San Fr'isco	15/9-16/3+0/3
3/0	Tigon Ming.	2/6 3/6
16/6	Trepca (5/6)	16/6-17/0
—	WaihiIn &Ex.	11/6-12 6

*Ex dividend. †Ex rights. ‡Ex bonus.

HOUSING IN THE NORTH

STATEMENT IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS

From Our Correspondent.

BELFAST, Thursday.

In the Northern House of Commons to-day, Sir Dawson Bates, Minister of Home Affairs, introducing the Housing Bill extending the Government subsidy of £25 (plus £25 by local authority) for a further period of six months, said that it was necessary to continue the grants for some time longer, as was indicated by the readiness of builders to go on building, and by the fact that builders had long lists of applicants waiting for houses. It was estimated in 1923, he said, that in Belfast there was a shortage of from 8,000 to 10,000 houses. Under the various Housing Acts nearly 12,600 houses had been erected in Belfast, and about 30,700 houses in the Six Counties. All this building had its natural effect on rents, and whereas in 1923 rents of 14s. and 15s. a week, or even higher, were asked for newly-built working-class houses, it was possible to get the same type of house now for 8s. to 10s. a week.

The second reading was passed and the House adjourned till Tuesday.

Rupture—A "Blake" Truss, with air cushion pads, gives relief and support. From 5s. Elastic Stockings from 4s. each.—Blake's Medical Stores, 20 Upper Liffey street—(Advt.)

THE COCKTAIL HABIT

DENUNCIATION AT CITY MEETING

Cocktails, and the drinking habits of the rising generation, were vigorously discussed by Mrs. E. Booth, speaking of the work of the Meath street dining rooms at a public meeting of the Dublin Christian Citizenship Council in the Dawson Hall, Dawson street, Dublin, last night.

The meeting forwarded a resolution to the administrative committee asking them to call on the Government to increase relief allowances in view of the great depression among the unemployed, and in view of the fact that one-third of the relief was given away in rent.

In the course of her speech Mrs. Booth referred to drinking among the poorer classes in Dublin, and said that the incidence of "red biddy" was very common. It was rather difficult for them, as social workers, to try and prevent drinking among these people when the boys and girls of their own homes were drinking in restaurants and dance halls in the city, and at gatherings under the auspices of Trinity College, Dublin, and other colleges. At a girls' dinner recently in connection with one of their universities the menu actually had begun with cocktails, although she was sure many of the girls never had tasted one, or even knew what they were.

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES

BRITISH FUNDS, ETC.

—	Closing.		Rise or fall
Consols 2½%	84⅞	85⅛	-⅜
Do. 4%	113⅜	113⅞	-¼
3½% War Loan	105¼	105⅝	-5/16
Funding Loan	117	117½	-⅛
Victory Bonds	113¼	113¾	-⅛
3% Conversion Loan	104⅛	104⅜	-⅛
3½% Conversion Loan	107⅛	107⅜	-⅛
4½% Conversion Loan	109½	110	-⅛
5% Conversion Loan	118¾	119	-⅛
2¾% Irish Land Stock 1903	86½	87½	......
Irish Free State 4½% Land Bonds	110	112	......
India 3%	86½	87½	......
Do. 3½%	97	98	-¼
Do. 4½%	113½	114½	+¼
Do. 5½%	102½	102⅞	......
Local Loans	95⅞	96⅛	-⅜
Sudan 5½%	112	114	......

PUBLIC BONDS AND STOCKS.

Cent. El. Bd. 4% 1959-89	105	107	......
Do. 5% 1950-70	114	116	......
Do. 4½% 1951-73	111	113	......
Do. 5% 1955-75	117	119	......
Do. 4½% 1957-82	112	114	......
Metro. Water 3 p.c. (a)	97	99	......

DOMINION AND COLONIAL STOCKS.

Australian Com. 5 p.c. 1945-75	112¾	113¼	......
Do. do. 4 p.c. 1943-48	104	105	......
Do. do. 3¾ p.c. 1948-53	102	104*	......
Canada 4 p.c. 1940-60	103	105	......
Do. 4 p.c. 1953-58	110	112	......
Cape 3½ p.c. Cons.	101	103	......
Ceylon 6 p.c.	103	105	......
N.S.W. 5 p.c. 1945-65	110½	111	......
Do. 4 p.c. 1942-62	102	105	......
Do. 4½ p.c. 1935-45	101½	102½	......
New Zealand 6 p.c. 1936-51	100	102	-3
Do. 3½ p.c. 1949-54	102	104	......
Nigeria 6 p.c.	127	129	......
Queensland 5 p.c. 1940-60	107¼	107¾	+1
South African 4 p.c. 1943-63	106	108	......
Do. 5 p.c. 1945-75	116	118	......
South Australian 5 p.c. 1945-75	112½	113	......
Do. 4 p.c. 1940-60	102	104	......
Victoria 4 p.c. 1940-60	102	104	......
Do. 5 p.c. 1945-75	112½	113	......
Western Australian 5 p.c. 1945-75	112⅛	112⅝	......
Do. 4 p.c. 1942-62	103	105	......

BANKS.

Anglo-South American (£10) £5 paid	7	8 dis	......
Bank of Australasia	9⅛	9⅝	-⅛
Bank of England	367	370	+1½
Bank of Montreal	37½	38½	......
Bank of New South Wales	35	36	......
Bank of New Zealand	41/0	45/0*	-1/6
Barclay's "A" Shares	104	105	......
British Overseas	4⅜	4⅝*	......
Canadian of Commerce	27½	29½	......
Chartered of India	12¾	13⅛	......
Hong Kong and Shanghai	[illegible]	[illegible]	......
Lloyds	61/0	62/0	......
London and S. American	7/0	8/0	......
Martins, £20 (£2/10 paid)	8⅞	9	......
Midland	10 1/16	10 3/16	......
National Discount "B"	13	13⅝	......
National Provincial (£4 pd.)	14⅞	15⅛	......
Royal of Canada	30½	31½	......
Standard of South Africa	14 15/16	15 3/16	-1/16
Union of Australia	7¼	7½	-1/16
Westminster Bank (£1)	71/3	72/3	......

FOREIGN STOCKS.

M.U.—Nov. 18

M.U.				
101	Argentine 4 p.c. Rescn.	100¾	101¾	......
—	Austrian 3 p.c. Guar. Sterling Bonds	101	103	......
101	Belgian 3 p.c.	100	102	......
26	Brazil 6½ p.c. S. Bds. '27	24½	25⅞	+1
61½	Do. 5 p.c. Funding	61	62½	+1½
62¼	Do. 5 p.c. do., 1914	61	62½	+1
102	Chinese 4½ p.c., 1898	100½	101½	......
76½	Do. 5 p.c. 1912	72½	73½	-1
93¼	Do. 5 p.c. Reorg. 1913	79	80½	-1½
94	Chinese Imp. Ry. 5% Gld.	70	80	......
73½	Do. Shanghai-Nanking 5 p.c.	70	75	......
32	Do. Tientsin-Pukow 5 p.c.	30	35	-1
102½	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	102	104	......
103	Egyptian Unified	103½	104½	......
25½	French Loan 4 p.c.	20	21	-½
59¼	German 7 p.c.	61¼	62¼	+¼
44	Do. 5½ p.c.	44½	45¾	+¼
—	Do. Potash 7 p.c.	71½	72½	+½
37	Greek 7 p.c., 1924	37½	38½	-½
30	Do. 6 p.c. Stabs.	30	33	......
28	Do. 5 p.c. 1914	27	30	......
20	Italian Rentes	16	18	-2½
95½	Japan 6 p.c., 1924	94	95	-1½
88	Do. 5½ p.c. Conversion	87½	88½	-½
8⅛	Mexican 5 p.c., '99	9	11	+½
8⅛	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas	9	11	+½
46	Peru 7½ p.c. Guano	43	48	......
2	Peruvian Corporation	1⅞	2⅛	......
10	Do. Pref.	9⅝	10⅛	......
55	Do. Debs.	54½	56½*	......
89	Poland 7 p.c. Sterling	88	89	......
73½	Portuguese 3 p.c.	75	76	......
—	Spanish 4 p.c.	73	75	......
4 3/16	Turkish 7½ p.c. 1933	3⅞	4⅛*	......

BRITISH RAILS.

M.U.				
49½	Great Western	49½	50½	+½
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	117	119	+1
18¼	Ldn., Mid. & Scot. Ord.	17⅞	17⅞	+⅛
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	82	84	+1
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	102	105	......
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref. 1923	52	54	+1
10¼	Ldn., North-East. 5 p.c. Pref.-Ord.	9⅝	10⅛	+⅛
5¾	Do. Def.-Ord.	5⅜	5¾	......
—	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	57½	59½	......
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	20	22	......
—	Lond. Trans. 5 p.c. "A"	132	135	+1
—	Do. 4½ p.c. "A"	121	124	......
—	Do. "B"	127	130	......
—	Do. "C"	106	107	+½
87¼	Southern Pref.-Ord.	84½	85½	+¾
21⅜	Do. Def.-Ord.	20¾	21¼	+¾
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	116½	118½	+½

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

M.U.				
13	Antofagasta Ord.	17½	19½	......
—	Argentine G.W. Ord.	8½	10½	-½
—	Bahia Blanca Guar. Stk.	71	74	-½
20½	Buenos Ayres Gt. Sthn.	19	21	-½
8½	Buenos Ayres & Pacific	8	10	-½
16½	Buenos Ayres and W.	15	17	-½
—	Canadian National Guar.	5	8	......
12¼	Canadian Pacific ($25)	11⅝	11¾	-1/16
12	Central Argentine Ord.	11	13	-½
5	Do. Def.	5	7	......
—	Central Uruguay Ord.	1	3	......
2	Cordoba Central New	1½	2½	......
—	Do. 1st Deb.	28	30	-1½
7	Do. 2nd Deb.	7½	9½	-½
9	Entre Rios	9½	11½	-½
—	Do. 6 p.c. Cum. Pref.	12	14	-½
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	98	101	......
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	100	103	......
—	Internl. of Cent. America	1	3	......
6	Leopoldina	5½	7½	......
10/6	Mexican Rails	1½	2½	......
40/0	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	½	1½	......
15/0	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	½	1½	......
40	San Paolo Ord.	44	48	......
—	United Havana	1½	3½	......

AMERICAN RAILS.

M.U.				
—	Atchison	53	56	+1
—	Chicago, Milwaukee New	1½	2½	+¼
25½	New York Central	27	30	+1
—	Pennsylvania	29	32	......
—	Southern Common	13	16	......
10¾	Southern Pacific	23	26	+1
10½	Union Pacific	105	110	+2

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

M.U.—Nov. 18.

M.U.				
128/9	Bass, Ratcliff Ord.	127/0	129/0	......
6/3	Brewers of Vancouver	6/3	6/9	-0/3
11/3	City of London Def. (5/-)	10/9	11/9	......
93/6	Courage Ord.	95/0	97/0	+1/0
95/9	Distillers Ord.	97/0	98/0	+1/6
14/0	Guinness Ord. (£1 units)	146/0	147/0	+0/6
115/6	Ind Coope and Allsopp	113/6	115/6	......
—	Mitchell and Butlers	94/6	96/6	......
94/6	South African Breweries	94/9	95/9	+0/3
—	Walker (John) Pref.	31/0	32/0*	......
21/6	Walker (P.) & R. Cain Or.	20/9	21/9	......
75/3	Watney Combe Def.	74/3	75/3	......

DRAPERY AND STORES.

M.U.				
77/9	Barker (John)	77/3	78/3	......
6/0	Cook, Son and Co.	7/3	8/3	......
—	Gamage (A. W.)	21/9	22/9	......
83/9	Harrod's Stores	83/6	84/6	+0/3
6/6	Harrod's (B.A.)	6/0	6/6	......
22/6	Maple and Co.	23/0	24/0	......
4 9/16	Marks & Spencer (5/-)	4½	4⅝	-1/16
—	Selfridges Pref.	30/3	30/9	......
116/9	Woolworth Ord.	115/0	116/0	-0/6
30/9	Do. Pref.	30/3	31/0*	......

ELECTRIC SUPPLY.

M.U.				
—	Bournemouth and Poole	76/9	77/9	......
37/3	City of London	36/3	37/3	-0/3
35/3	County of London	53/6	54/6	......
—	Edmundson's	42/6	43/6	......
—	Electric Supply Corp.	60/9	62/9	......
—	Lancashire	37/9	38/9	......
38/0	London Electric	34/6	35/0	......
33/0	Metropolitan	50/9	51/6	-0/4½
34/3	North-Eastern	33/3	34/3	......
33/6	St James's	32/6	34/6	......
—	South London	33/0	35/0	......
—	Whitehall Inv. Pref.	25/0	26/0	......
—	Yorkshire Ord.	44/3	45/3	-0/1½

ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT.

M.U.				
40/0	Associated Electric Ind.	40/9	41/9	+1/3
92/0	British Insul. Cables	91/9	93/9	......
76/6	Callenders Cable	76/6	77/6	......
—	Enfield Cable	[illegible]	[illegible]	......
18/6	English Electric	19/4½	19/10½	-0/1½
21/0	Ever Ready (5/-)	23/6	24/3	......
69/6	General Electric Ord.	71/9	72/6	+0/7½
6 15/16	Henley's Telegraph	6 31/32	7 3/32	......
49/0	Johnson and Phillips	48/3	49/3	......
—	Phillips Lamps	2¼	2½	-1/16
24/9	Siemens	24/6	25/6	+0/6
—	Telegraph Constr.	24/0	25/6	......

INSURANCE.

M.U.				
—	Alliance £20 (£2 4/- p.)	28	29	......
—	Atlas £5 (£1 5/- paid)	14⅞	15⅜	......
—	Com. Union £1 Units	9¾	10⅛	......
—	Eagle Star Ord £3	21½	23½	+½
—	Employers' £1 (5/- paid)	3 3/16	3 7/16	......
—	Gen. Accdt. £5 (£1¼ p.)	24½	25½	......
—	Guardian £3 (10/- paid)	14⅞	15¼	+⅛
—	L. & Lan. Fire £5 (£2)	34	35	......
—	Lon. Ass. £2½ (£1⅛ p.)	15⅝	16⅛	......
—	N.B. & Mer. £5 (£1¼ p.)	49	50	......
—	Northern £10 (£1 paid)	20	21	......
—	Pearl £1	27	28	......
—	Phoenix £10 (£1 paid)	15⅝	16⅛	......
—	Do. £1 (f.p.)	17	17½	......
—	Prudential	37	38	......
—	Do. "B" £1 (4/- pd.)	5¼	5¾	......
—	Royal Exchange	10¼	10¾	......
—	Royal Ins. £1 (10/- pd.)	9⅝	10⅛	......
—	Sun Ins. £1 (5/- paid)	4½	4¾*	......
—	Sun Life £1 (f.p.)	7¼	7¾	......
—	Yorkshire 50/- (10/- pd.)	8¾	9¼	......

IRON AND STEEL.

M.U.				
—	Allied Iron	37/3	38/3	+0/3
2/10½	Amal. Anthracite	3/0	4/0	+0/1½
25/4½	Amal. Metal Ord.	26/3	27/3	+0/4½
52/3	Babcock, Wilcox Ord.	51/9	52/9	......
[illegible]	Baldwins	8/3	8/9	......
20/3	Brown (John) 6/-	19/0	19/9	-0/4½
8/1½	Cammell Laird (5/-)	7/0	7/6	......
11/9	Consett Iron	11/0	11/6	+0/6
79/9	Cory (William)	77/0	78/9	......
22/3	Dorman Long and Co.	21/3	21/9	+0/3
35/6	Guest Keen	33/0	34/0*	-0/3
5/1½	Pease and Partners	4/9	5/0	......
19/0	Powell Duffryn	18/9	19/6	+0/4½
54/0	South Durham Steel	52/0	53/0	+0/6
33/9	Stewarts & Lloyds Def.	33/6	34/6	......
11/0	Thomas (R.)	10/9	11/3*	+0/1½
31½	United Steel Cos.	31/9	32/9	......
19/3	Vickers Ord.	17/9	18/6	+0/1½

OILS.

M.U.—Nov. 18.

M.U.				
24/6	Anglo-Ecuadorian	24/3	24/9	-0/3
1 7/16	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1⅜	1½	......
3 15/32	Anglo-Iranian Ord	3 15/32	3 17/32	......
37/1½	Do. 8 p.c. 1st Pref	36/1	37/3	......
37/1½	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref	37/9	38/3	......
21/7½	Apex Trinidad (5/- shares)	21/3	22/3	......
22/6	Attock	23/0	24/0	-0/4
13/7½	British Borneo Pet. (6/0)	13/4½	13/10½	+0/1½
5/9	British Burmah (8/)	5/3	6/3	......
3/4½	British Controlled	2/7½	3/1½	......
7/6	Do. Pref	7/7½	8/1½	......
4 5/32	Burmah	4⅛	4 5/16	......
38/4½	Do. 8 p.c. Pref	38/9	39/9	-0/1½
6/1½	Canadian Eagle Ord.	5/6	6/0	......
6/9	Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref ($8)	11/9	12/3	+0/1½
7/9	Do. 8 p.c. Pref	3/6	4/0	......
4/3	Kern River (10/)	3/6	4/0	......
1⅞	Lobitos	1 27/32	1 29/32	......
6/1½	Mexican Eagle Ord	5/7½	6/1½	-0/1½
7/1½	Do. 8 p.c. Pref	7/0	7/6	......
6/1½	Do. 7 p.c. 1st Pref (4 pesos)	6/3	6/9	......
0/6	North Caucasian (10/)	1/0	1/6	......
8/3	Phoenix Oil	8/3	9/3	......
4/1½	Do. 1/- shares	4/1½	4/7½	-0/1½
29⅜	Royal Dutch	29 3/16	29 7/16	-1/16
4⅛	Shell Transport	4 1/16	4 3/16	-1/32
12 15/16	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. £10	12⅝	13⅛	......
33/4½	Do. 7 p.c. Pref	32/9	33/3	-0/1½
9/7½	Steaua Romana	8/6	9/0	......
8/0	Tankers Pref	4/6	5/0	+0/1½
10/0	Trinidad Central	9/9	10/3	......
4 1/32	Trinidad Leasehold	4 1/32	4 3/32	......
2 5/32	V.O.C. Holdings	2 1/16	2⅛*	+1/32
2 5/32	Do. 7 p.c. Pref	2 1/16	2⅛*	+1/32

TEAS.

Amal Estates	12½	......	Imperial	1 3/16	......
Assam Con	1 1/16	......	Jetinga Valley	1 5/16	......
Assam Front'r	21/32	......	Jhanzie	1⅛	......
Bog'want'lawr	21	......	Jokai	2⅛	......
Borelli	2 9/16	......	Jorehaut	2¼	......
Brahmapootra	18½	......	Kanan Devan	29	......
Brit. Indian	2½	......	Lebong	1⅛	......
Budla Beta	2 5/16	......	Lungla	17/32	......
Ceylon Plant.	3	......	Makum	1⅛	......
Ceylon Prop.	1⅝*	......	Moabund	1⅜	......
Chargola	19/32	......	Nedeem	1 13/16	......
Chubwa	2 9/16	......	New Dimbula	3 7/16	......
Chulsa	2 5/16	......	Nuwara Eliya	4 1/16	......
Co. Tea & L.	21	......	Ouvah	2	......
Darjeeling Co.	1⅝	......	Peacock & Nil.	3 1/16	......
Do. Consol	2 11/32	......	Pabbojan	2 9/16	......
Deundi	2 11/32	......	Pundaloya	⅞	......
Dimbula Val.	1¾*	......	Rosehaugh Ce.	3	......
Dooars	2	......	Scottish Assam	1 9/16	......
Doom Dooma	2⅝	......	Scot. T. & L.	1⅞*	-1/16
E. Assam	2 5/16	......	Singlo	1 11/32	......
East Produce	2¼*	......	Sumatra	5⅛	......
Empire	1 7/16	......	Travancore	2 5/16	......
Galaha Ceylon	1⅝	......	Up. Assam	1¾	-1/16

RUBBERS.

M.U.			
25/6	Anglo-Dutch	24/9	+0/1½
13/4½	Anglo-Malay	13/7½	......
3/3	Bukit Mertajam	3/1½	-0/1½
0/11	Bukit Sembawang	0/10	......
17/3	Grand Central	16/4½	-0/1½
19/6	Highlands	19/7½	......
13/9	Jugra Land	13/0	......
1¾	Kuala Lumpur	33/0	-0/6
13/6	Linggi	17/9	-0/1½
4/0	London Asiatic	3/10½	......
25/0	Malacca	23/0	......
31/6	Malayalam	30/3	......
3/1	Merlimau-Pegoh	2/10½	......
19/4½	Orient Trust	19/1½	+0/4½
30/6	Rubber Trust	29/7½	......
25/0	Tanjong	19/9	......
23/9	Tandjong Malim	24/0	......
2¾	United Sua Betong	53/9	-0/7½
9/6	Vallambrosa	8/9	......

Allagar	1/6	......	Java Amal	16/3	......
Anglo Java(1/)	0/10	......	Kamuning	2/3	......
do. 5 p.c. debs.	2/7½	......	Kepong (2/)	3/1½	......
Batu Tiga	23/7½	......	Kepitigalla	0/9	......
Bernam Per'k	1/10½	......	Kinta Kellas	2/1½	......
Bikam (2/)	2/0	......	Kombok	2/4	......
Brit. I. G. Trst	75*	......	Kuala Sel	3/1½	-0/1½
Brit. E. Java	0/10½	......	Ledbury	21/3	......
Broome Sel(2/)	2/7½	......	Manch'r N.B.	10/7½	......
Buntar	1/6	......	N. Hummock	10/9	......
Castlefield	3/6	......	P.P.K (C'y'n	11/3	......
Central Perak	2/10½	......	Pataling	27/6	......
Chersonese	3/3	......	Perak (2/)	2/6	......
Cheviot	3/9	......	Rambutan	3/0	......
Cicely	4/6	......	Rim Malacca	2/6	......
Djasinga	13/3	......	Sedenak	24/9	......
East Sumatra	7/0	......	Soember Ajoe	1/7½	......
F.M.S. Plant.	2/3	......	Sungei Siput	1/3	......
Gen. Ceylon	17/6	......	Taiping	1/7½	......
Glenbervie	23/9	......	Telogoredjo	16/10½	......
Golden Hope	23/9	......	Un.Serd'ng	2 5/16	......
Gordon	1/7½	......	Yam Seng	2/4½	......

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

M.U.				
15/3	Argentine Land Invest.	16/0	17/0	+0/6
18/0	Do. Southern Land	17/6	18/6	......
—	Covent Garden Ord.	30/9	31/9	......
19/6	Forestal Land	18/9	19/9	......
21/0	Hudson's Bay Ord.	19/4½	20/4½	-0/1½
1 11/32	Hyderabad Deccan	1¼	1 5/16	......
1/3	Pekin Syndicate	1/0	1/6	......
34/6	Sudan Plantations	33/0	34/0*	-0/3

MOTORS AND AEROPLANES.

M.U.				
44/6	Austin Motor (5/-)	40/3	41/0	-0/4½
—	Do. "B" Pref.	29/0	30/0	-0/6
2 15/16	De Havilland	39/0	40/0	-0/6
33/6	Dennis Bros. (1/-)	31/0	31/9*	+1/4½
26/6	Fairey Aviation	26/6	27/3	......
24/6	Ford Motors	32/10½	33/4½	-0/4½
30/6	Handley Page Pref. (8/-)	30/3	31/3	-0/1½
30/6	Hawker (5/-)	29/0	29/9	-0/3
—	Imperial Airways	49/9	50/6	......
76/6	Leyland Motors	75/9	76/6	-0/6
—	Morris 7½ p.c. Pref.	31/6	32/6	......
17/6	Napier Ord. (5/-)	12/0	12/6	......
7 31/32	Rolls Royce	7 17/32	7 19/32	......
6/9	Singer Ord.	7/9	8/6	+0/1½
—	Standard	69/0	70/0	-1/6
65/0	Tilling (Thomas)	67/3	68/3	+0/9

NEWSPAPERS.

M.U.				
32/3	Allied Newspapers Ord.	31/3	32/3	-0/3
—	Amal Press (New)	22/0	23/0*	......
25/1½	Assd. Newspaper Def.	25/1½	25/7½	......
57/9	Daily Mail Trust	55/3	57/3*	-0/1½
23/3	Daily Mirror Ord.	22/10½	23/4½	+0/1½
—	Financial Newspapers	3/9	4/6	......
11/3	Odhams Press (4/-)	11/3	12/3	......
46/6	Sunday Pictorial Ord.	46/0	47/0	+0/3

NITRATES.

M.U.				
79	Cosach 7 p.c. Ster. Bds.	77	79	......
5/3	Lautaro Nitrate 7 p.c. Pref. (£5)	5/0	6/0	......

REFRESHMENT AND FOOD.

M.U.				
26/0	Aerated Bread	25/9	26/9	......
18/0	Bovril Def.	17/3	18/3	......
5¼	Crosse & Blackwell	0/4½	0/7½	......
7/4½	Home & Colonial (4/-)	7/3	7/9	......
35/6	Inter. Tea Ord. (5/-)	35/0	36/0	......
30/6	Lovell & Christmas	30/6	31/6	+0/3
7⅛	Lyons (J.)	7	7⅛*	......
2/9	Maypole Def.	2/6	3/0	......
—	Scribbans	20/9	21/3	+0/3
—	Do. Def.	12/0	13/0	-0/1½
38/6	Schweppes Ord.	36/0	37/0	......
—	Smithfield Arg. Meat	1 3/16	1¼	......
31/9	Unilever Ord.	30/6	31/0	......
34/3	Do. (N.V.)	33/6	34/0	......

SHIPPING.

M.U.				
—	Cairn Line	3/1½	3/7½	-0/1½
—	Cunard Ord.	4/1½	4/10½	+0/10½
—	Elder-Dempster Realisn.	3/9	4/9	-0/1½
—	Furness Withy	18/4½	18/10½	-0/1½
—	Houlder Pref. (£5). 4-5	......	......	......
—	P. and O. Def. (£1)	18/9	19/3	-0/4½
—	Royal Mail Realisation	34/6	35/6	+0/9

TEXTILES AND ARTSILKS.

M.U.				
8/0	Bleachers	6/9	7/6	......
11/0	Bradford Dyers	10/3	11/0	-0/1½
11	British Celanese Ord.	13/9	14/3	+0/3
[illegible]	Do. Pref.	23/0	23/6	-0/3
1⅛	Calico Printers	9/7½	10/1½	-0/3
4¼	Canadian Celanese	4 11/16	4 13/16	+1/16
65/3	Coats	64/9	65/6	......
56/3	Courtaulds	55/7½	56/1½	-0/3
47/6	English Sewing Cotton	46/3	47/3	......
9/6	Fine Spinners	7/10½	8/4½	......
7/0	Jute Industries Pref.	6/3	6/9	......
—	Linen Thread Ord.	30/6	31/6	......
7/6	Lister Ord.	7/0	7/9	......
3	Patons and Baldwins	60/6	61/6	......
2⅛	Snia Viscosa	1 15/16	2 3/16	......
—	Whitworth Mitchell	1 5/16	1 11/32	......

TOBACCOS.

M.U.				
5 25/32	British-American Tobacco	5 19/32	5 21/32	......
8½	Carreras "A"	8⅛	8 9/16	-3/32
21/3	Do. "B" (2/6)	21/6	22/0	-0/1½
—	Cope Bros.	2¾	2⅞	......
—	Gallaher	6 19/32	6 23/32	......
45/0	Geofrey Phillips	44/0	45/0	......
7 7/16	Imperial Tobacco Ord.	7 15/32	7 17/32	......
54/9	Do. Canada	54/0	56/0	......
—	Tobacco Trust Ord.	3⅞	4	......
—	Do. Def.	3 11/16	3 13/16	......
1 3/16	United Tobacco (Sth.)	1 1/16	1 3/16	......

TELEGRAPHS, TELEPHONES.

M.U.				
28½	Anglo-American Def.	28½	30½	......
3/9	Bairds Tel. Def.	5/7½	6/1½	-0/1½
29¾	Cable and Wireless 5½% Cum. Pref.	104¾	105¾	......
29¾	Do. "A" Ord.	28⅝	29⅛	-⅛
9⅛	Do. "B" Ord.	8⅝	8⅞	-⅛
37/0	Marconi Marine	35/6	36/6	......
8/5	Do. Canada	8/6	9/0	......
—	Oriental Telephone	2 15/16	3 3/16	......
10⅛	Radio Corporation	11 7/16	11 9/16	......

MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS.

M.U.				
68/6	Associated Cement	65/6	66/6	-0/1½
8/10½	Assocd. British Pictures	8/7½	8/10½	-0/1½
—	Beecham's Pills Ptg. Pf.	31/9	32/9	......
35/6	Do. Def. (5/-)	34/9	35/3	......
44/3	Boot's Pure Drug (5/-)	48/6	49/3	......
17/9	Borax Con. Def.	17/3	18/3	......
9¾	Brazilian Traction	9⅞	10	+3/16
43/6	British Aluminium	41/9	42/9	-0/3
39/0	British Match	38/6	39/6	......
4 11/16	British Portland Cement	4⅜	4½	......
—	British Power and Light	29/0	31/0	......
46/4½	British Oil and Cake	45/6	46/6	......
116/3	British Oxygen Ord.	5 9/16	5⅝*	+1/32
—	Cerebos Ord.	11 5/16	11 7/16	......
—	Crittal's Manufacturing	19/6	20/6	+0/6
2	Dunlop Rubber	38/6	39/3	-0/1½
2 15/16	Eastwoods Ord.	2 29/32	2 31/32	......
27/3	Electric and Musical	27/4½	27/7½	-0/6
24/3	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	24/6	25/0	-0/3
—	Finlay (James)	67/6	68/6	......
10/3	Gaumont British	10/3	10/9	......
4/6	Do. "A" Ord.	4/7½	5/1½	......
18/3	Do. 5½ p.c. Pref.	17/6	18/6	......
—	Harland Wolff Pref.	7/1½	7/7½	......
37/4½	Imp. Chem. Indus. Ord.	36/9	37/3	......
9/1½	Do. Def.	9/1½	9/7½	......
33/6	Do. Pref.	33/0	33/9	......
38¾	International Nickels	40½	40⅝	+1/16
—	Do. Paint	55/6	57/6	......
84/0	London Brick and F.	83/3	84/3*	......
25/0	National Canning	1⅛	1¼	......
—	North American Co.	25¾	26¼	-1¼
—	Reckitt Ord.	5¾	5 15/16	......
—	Ste. Madeleine Sugar	15/0	16/0	......
43/0	Salt Union	43/3	44/3	......
63/9	Spillers Ord.	62/9	63/9	......
49/0	Do. Def.	49/0	50/0	......
17/0	Swedish Match "B"	17/9	18/9	+1/0
88/6	Tate and Lyle	86/9	87/3	+0/4½
4 3/32	Triplex Glass	[illegible]	[illegible]	......
—	Tube Investments	6⅝	[illegible]	......
20/0	United Molasses	20/0	20/6	+0/6
84/0	Wall Paper Def.	84/9	85/9*	......
41/6	White Tomkins Ord.	2	3	......
41/6	Wiggins Teape Ord.	43/0	44/0	+1/0

* Ex div. † Ex rights. ‡ Cum div. ¶ Ex bonus.

THE MONEY MARKET

BANK'S BIG PURCHASE OF GOLD

Only £85,000 of gold was available in the Bullion market yesterday, and this was sold at 140s. 11d. per oz., a decline of 1d. on Wednesday's price. The premium over the dollar was ½d. lower at 2d., the rate being 4.93¾, but the premium on the franc remained at 10d. on a rate of 75 1/16. The Bank of England announced the further purchase of £424,674 in bar gold.

Silver was unchanged at 29 7/16 per oz. for spot and 28⅞ for forward delivery.

Bank Rate Discount (changed June 30, 1932), 2%

60 days (fine)	9/16	⅝ %			
3 months	9/16	⅝ %	Trade	2	2½ %
4 "	⅝	¾ %	"	2¼	2½ %
6 "	11/16	¾ %	"	2½	3 %

Loans to Brokers Day-to-day	½ %
for a week	½ %
Deposit Allowance: Banks at Call	½ %
" " Discount Houses at Call	½ %
" " at Notice	¾ %

Short loans were in quiet demand at ½ p.c., and bill rates were steady. The maximum for three months' paper was 9/16 p.c., while the new Treasuries were offered at ½ p.c.

The French franc naturally dominated the Foreign Exchange Market throughout yesterday. The market was held in suspense until the late afternoon, when news of the success of the Cabinet on the vote on procedure was received. The flight of capital from France, which had been in progress right up to the afternoon, then abated. The franc showed a recovery in relation to both sterling and the dollar, though not on the scale that might have been expected, owing to some uncertainty as to the exact importance of M. Laval's early triumph. The dollar-franc exchange, though lower, was, in fact, still rather above the gold export point to New York at the close. Movements in forward rates were no more vigorous. Discounts on the franc were rather lower at the close, but movements were really quite small, while covering by speculators was not on the scale that might have been anticipated.

Centre	Nov. 28 Closing Rates		Nov. 27 Closing Rates		Parity before 20/9/'31
New York	4.93⅝	4.93¾	4.93⅞	4.94	4.86⅔
Montreal	4.98¼	4.98¾	4.98½	4.99	4.86⅔
Amsterdam	7.28½	7.29	7.29½	7.30	12.10
Berlin	12.26	12.28	12.27	12.28	20.43
Brussels	29.17	29.18	29.20	29.22	35.00
Copenhagen	22.38	22.42	22.38	22.42	18.15
Geneva	15.25	15.27	15.28	15.30	25.22
Madrid	36⅛	36 5/32	36 3/16	36 7/32	25.22
Milan	nom		nom		92.46
Oslo	19.88	19.93	19.88	19.93	18.15
Paris	74⅞	74 29/32	75	75 1/16	124.21
Stockholm	19.37	19.42	19.37	19.42	18.15
Alexandria	97⅜	97⅝	97⅜	97⅝	97.5
Athens	518 sellers		518 sellers		375
Helsingfors	226⅜	227⅜	226⅜	227⅜	193.2
Lisbon	109⅞	110⅜	109⅞	110⅜	110
Prague	119 3/16	119 7/16	119 3/16	119 7/16	164.25
Vienna	25¼	27¼	25¼	26⅞	34.58
Warsaw	26 3/16	26 5/16	26 7/32	26 11/32	43.38
B. Ayres	17.90	18.00	17.90	18.00	47.577
Lima 90 dys	19.60 nom		19.60 nom		17.38
Mexico*	17.25	18.25	17.25	18.25	9.76
M'video*	21½	22	21½	22	51 1/16
Rio de Jan.	2 11/16	2¾	2 11/16	2¾	5.89
Valparaiso	125 nom		125 nom		40
Calcutta	18 3/32	18 5/32	18 3/32	18 5/32	18
Hongkong	17½d	18d	17⅞d	17⅞d	
Kobe (p.yn)	13 31/32	14 1/32	13 31/32	14 1/32	24
Shanghai*	14⅜d	14¾d	14⅜d	14¼d	—
Singapore*	27½d	28d	28d	28¼d	28

*Rate quoted in London.

DUBLIN BUSINESS DONE

DEALINGS IN NEW CONVERSION LOAN. HOME FUNDS HARDER. BANKS SUPPORTED. GUINNESS HIGHER. GREAT NORTHERNS ADVANCE. GREAT SOUTHERNS EASIER. BOLANDS ORD. IMPROVE. BRITISH INDUSTRIALS UNCERTAIN.

In Funds, 5 per cent. Second National Loan repeated 112¾, 4½ per cent. Third Loan rose ¼ at 109¼ (small). 3½ per cent Fourth Loan repeated 98, after 98; ditto Deed 97⅞. 4 per cent. Conversion Loan quoted 104½, ditto (£50 paid) 4 premium; 4½ per cent. Land Bonds repeated 111¼, ditto (under £200) 110⅞, ditto New rose ½ at 106½, ditto (under £200) repeated 106. 4 per cent. Land Bonds 102, and Agricultural Credit 5 per cent. 1st series 107.

3½ per cent War Loan eased 1/16 at 105 7/16, after 105½; ditto Deed 105 7/16. 3½ per cent. Conversion Loan 1/16 at 107 7/16. Guaranteed Land 1921 stock repeated 97⅞ (small), India 3½ per cent. stock quoted 97¼, and ditto 3 per cent stock 86¼. Cork 4 per cent. Loan repeated 98, and Dublin 3½ per cent., 1955-'80, 93, after 93.

Bank of Ireland repeated 310 (small), Hibernians 10, Munster and Leinsters rose 6d. at 100s., after 100s., and Nationals 4½d. at 49s. 10½, after 49s. 9d.

Guinness Ordinary rose 3d. at 146s., after 145s. 9d. Distillers Ordinary 9d. at 96s. 9d., after 96s. 3d., but Dublin Distillers "A" eased 1d. at 2s. 9d.

Grand Canal Ordinary rose 2s. 6d. at 42s. 6d.

In Rails, Great Northern Ordinary rose ¼ at 15½, ditto Guaranteed 3 at 68½, ditto Debenture ½ at 82½. Great Southern Pref. ½ at 47½, after 47½, ditto Guaranteed fell 1 at 84, and ditto Debenture ½ at 85.

Dublin Tram Ordinary repeated 87s. 6d. (small).

Bolands Ordinary rose 1s. 6d. at 120s., and Ranks (Ireland) Ordinary 1½d. at 14s. 10½d. (small).

Arnott Ordinary repeated 82s. 6d. (small), and Crowe Wilson Pref. repeated 18s. 6d.

Among Industrials, Carroll Ord. repeated 32s. 6d., ditto Pref. 23s. 9d. Ever Ready (Ireland) Ord. 8s., ditto Pref. 22s. 6d. Gallaher Ord. quoted 135s., Helys Pref. steady at 24s., Irish Cinema Pref. rose 1½d. at 5s. 9d., ditto Pref. 1½d. at 18s. 9d., after 18s. 7½d. (small). Irish C.S. Buildings repeated 44., Irish Dunlop Pref. 23s. 9d., and May Roberts (Ireland) Ord. rose 6d. at 29s. (small).

B.A.T Ord. gained 6d. at 113s., Imperial Tobaccos eased 3d. at 148s. 3d. (small), Lever 8 per cent. Pref. quoted 33s. 3d., Vickers Ord. repeated 18s., J. and P. Coats Ord. shed 4½d. at 64s. 6d., after 64s. 6d., but Courtaulds Ord. hardened 1½d. at 56s.

"Other business done" will be found at foot of annexed table.

OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS.

5% Second Nat. Loan	(112¾) *112¾
4½% Third Loan	(109) *109¼
3½% Fourth Loan	(98) 98 8
Do. Deed	(97½) 97⅞
4% Conver. Loan	104½
Do. (£50 pd.)	4 4 pm.
4½% Land Bonds	(111⅛) 111¼
Do. (under £200)	(110⅞) 110⅞
Do. New	(106) 106½
Do. (under £200)	(106) 106
4% Land Bonds	(102) 102
Agrl. Credit 5% (1st Series)	(107) 107
3½% War Loan	(105½) 105½ 5 7/16
Do. Deed	(104½) 105 7/16
3½% Conversion Loan	(107½) 107 7/16
Gtd. Land 1921 Stock	(97½) *97⅞
India 3½% Stk.	(96½) 97¼
Do. 3% Stk.	(86¼) 86¼
Cork 4% Loan	(98) 98
Dublin 3½% (1944)	96½b
Do. 3½% (1955-80)	(93) 93 93
Bank of Ireland	(310) *310
Hibernian	(10) 10
Mun. & Lein. (99/6)	100/- 100/-
National (49/6)	49/9 9/10½
Royal	14½b
Distillers Ord.	(96/-) 96/3 6/9
Dublin Distillers A	(2/10) 2/9
Guinness Ord.	(145/9) 145/9 6/-
Canal Ord.	(40/-) 42/6
G.S. Pref.	(47) 47½ 7½
Do. Gtd.	(85) 84
Do. Deb.	(85½) 85
G.N. Ord.	(15½) 15½
Do. Gtd.	(65½) 68½
Do. Deb.	(82) 82½
Dublin Tram Ord.	(87/6) *87/6
Alliance Gas Deb.	100b
Bolands Ord.	(118/6) 120/-
Ranks (Ireland) Ord.	(14/9) *14/10½
Arnott Ord. (82/6)	*82/6
Crowe Wilson Pref.	(18/6) 18/6
Shell Transport Ord.	79/6b 81/-a
Burke (E. & J.) Deb.	6⅞b 7½a
Carroll Ord. (32/6)	32/6
Do. Pref. (23/9)	23/9
Ever-Ready (I.) Ord.	(8/-) 8/-
Do. Pref. (22/6)	22/6
Gallaher Ord.	(134/-) 135/-
Hely's Pref. (24/-)	24/-
Irish Cinema Ord.	(5/7½) 5/9
Do. Pref. (18/7½)	*18/7½ 18/9
Irish C.S. Building	(44) 44
Irish Dunlop Pref.	(23/9) 23/9
Irish Sugar Pref.	22/9b 22/10½a
May Roberts (I.) Ord.	(28/6) *29/-
B.A.T. Ord.	(112/6) 113/-
Dunlops	38/9b 39/6a
Chemical Ord.	36/9b 37/-a
Do. Def.	8/10½b 9/3a
Imperial Tobaccos	(148/6) *148/3
Lever 8% Pref.	33/3
Unilever Ord.	30/6b 31/6a
Vickers Ord. (18/-)	18/-
Coats Ord. (64/10½)	64/6 4/6
Courtaulds Ord.	(55/10½) 56/-

Other Business Done

Brocklehurst Whiston Ord.	19/6
Engineering Compts.	11/10½
Hawker Siddeley Ord.	25/4½
Internl. Nickel	840½
Parnall Aircraft	7/3
Petters Pref.	24/9
Bank of Scotland	478½
Stephen's Green Cinema Ord.	3/7½b 4/-a
Do. 7½% Prefd.	14/10½b 15/6a

* Odd lot, a asked, b bid, c cash.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

Irish Banks' Rate (June 30, 1932)	3 %
Loans on Government Stocks transferred	2½ %
Deposits under £2,000	1 %
Deposits of £2,000 and over	1¼ %

The rates in the foregoing table are subject to variation.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Contango	Dec. 2	Dec. 16
Ticket	Dec. 3	Dec. 17
Intermediate	Dec. 4	Dec. 18
Account Day	Dec. 5	Dec. 19

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS

Agricultural Credit Corporation.—5 per cent. per annum (5d. per share) on "A" shares for half-year ended 1st February, 1935 (same).

Amalgamated Dental.—Dividend at rate of 5¼ per cent. per annum on Pref. stock for six months.

Atlas Steel Foundry.—The report of the Atlas Steel Foundry and Engineering Company (Armadale) for the year to September 30 last shows that the profit for the year, after full provision for all charges, amounted to £12,146, from which falls to be deducted provision for sinking fund for redemption of Debentures, £3,000, leaving a balance of £9,146. The directors recommend the allocation of £1,500 to depreciation account and £3,000 to reserve account, and the payment of a dividend of 7½ per cent., less tax, leaving to be carried forward, subject to directors' fees, £1,833. The directors add that there was a marked improvement in the demand for the company's production during the year, and prices also showed some advance. The works continue to be well employed. The buildings and plant have been well maintained throughout the year. During the year the capital of the company was reconstructed, under which 10s. per share was written off capital. At September 30, 1934, there was a debit balance of £7,756, which was written off under the reconstruction scheme. In the past year £1,500 of Debenture stock was drawn for redemption, and since the close of the year a further £3,000 has been redeemed.

Anglo-Newfoundland Development.—The Board propose to maintain the interim dividend at 2½ per cent. on account of the current year. The final distribution for 1934 was 3½ per cent.

Associated Equipment Co.—Net profit £129,198, compared with £102,007 in the previous year. The Ordinary dividend, as already announced, is maintained at 1/3 per unit, tax free, equivalent to 8 1/16 per cent., less tax. This requires £93,750, and after repeating the transfer to general reserve, at £25,000, the carry forward is £10,448 higher at £244,432.

Barclay Perkins.—Interim dividend of 2½ per cent. (same).

British Darjeeling Tea Co.—Interim payment of 2½ per cent. No interim last year, but 6 per cent. paid for full year.

British Overseas Bank.—Profit, £60,131. This compares with £62,333 for the previous year. The "A" Share dividend is repeated at 6 per cent., and £66,770 carried forward, against £66,639. No dividend has been paid on the "B" Shares since 2 per cent. for 1930-31.

Benskins Watford Brewery.—Gross trading profit has advanced from £410,992 to £443,146. After Debenture interest and fees, etc., the net balance of £23,298 higher at £243,515, the final dividend of 11¼ per cent., less tax, making 17½ per cent. for the year, against 15 per cent. a year ago. The improvement reserve and general reserve again receive £25,000 each, and the pension fund allocation is repeated at £5,000. The carry forward is raised from £143,399 to £152,814.

Broken Hill South.—The net return from the mining section rose from £139,543 to £255,869, and investment income increased by £5,970 to £86,641, making a total net profit of £342,510, in comparison with £220,214 in the previous twelve months. Dividends totalling 6/- paid during the year absorbed £240,000, and, after providing £20,000 for plant and development, there is a balance of £307,329 to go forward, against £221,560 brought in.

Callard Stewart and Watt.—Payment of 3 per cent. actual on 6 per cent. Preference for the half-year to October 1, 1932.

Canadian National Railways.—Gross earnings for the month of October last amounted to $17,825,909, which compares with $15,803,292 for the corresponding period last year. Operating expenses were $1,201,511 higher at $14,195,774, leaving net earnings at $3,630,135, an increase of $820,706 against October of last year. The aggregate gross earnings from January 1st amounted to $142,956,088, an increase of $5,190,087 against the corresponding period of 1934. Operating expenses required $133,160,288, compared with $127,814,067, while the aggregate net earnings were $9,795,799, compared with $9,951,935, a decrease of $156,134.

Clydesdale (Transvaal) Collieries.—During the year to June 30th last coal profits increased from £32,891 to £37,247, while £5,808, against £5,106, was received on investments and £89 from dividends forfeited, making a total of £43,144. To this was added £74,633 brought in, and £4,506 (against £3,849) provided for depreciation, £2,891 (against £2,748) for taxes, and £5,300 (against £4,822) was absorbed by expenses. The dividend, which was increased from 10 per cent. to 12½ per cent., accounted for £23,125, and the remaining £81,954 will be carried forward.

Denny, Mott and Dickson.—Consideration of an interim dividend on the Preferred Ordinary Shares is deferred until the close of the financial year. Last year an interim of 3 per cent. was paid on these shares, followed by a final dividend at same rate.

Ex Lands, Nigeria.—Interim dividend of 10 per cent., less tax.

Edmundsons Electricity Corporation.—Interim dividend of 3½ per cent. (same).

Frederick Hotels.—Payment of 2¾ per cent. on 5½ per cent. Preference shares, bringing the dividend up to December 31, 1931.

Frontino Gold Mines.—Dividend of 5 per cent. on Pref. shares for the year, making 15 per cent., and further dividend of 5 per cent. for six months to December 31, 1935, both less tax. Final dividend of 2/- per share on Ord., less tax, making 3/- per share, or 15 per cent. for year. (Same.)

Globe Telegraph and Trust.—Quarterly dividend of 1/6 per share net on Ord. shares, against 1/- corresponding quarter last year.

Ingall Parsons and Clive.—Final dividend of 7½ per cent., making 10 per cent. for the year on both Ordinary and Preferred (same).

Interoceanic Railway of Mexico.—In their report for the year to 1934 the directors state that, according to the returns received from the National Railways of Mexico, operations, on the basis of 10 Mexican pesos to the £1, resulted in a loss of approximately £98,000 as compared with a loss of £118,000 in the previous year. As no settlement of the claims against the Mexican Government in respect of damages and retention of the properties has been made, it is again not possible to present a revenue account, but economic conditions in Mexico have improved and traffic increased. Gross earnings, however, suffered by increased competition from road transport, and operating expenses were unduly high. On the basis of the returns from Mexico there was a net debit of £830,000 in respect of the eight years to December 31st last, and the debit of general net revenue account is approximately £4,639,000. The Debenture Holders' Committee have decided to extend the moratorium until June 30, 1936.

Kidderminster Brewery.—Profit £9,083; dividend 6 per cent. To general reserve £3,000; forward £9,952.

London, Midland and Scottish Railway.—Final dividend of 2½ per cent. on the 5 per cent. Redeemable Preference stock, making 5 per cent. for the year (same).

Luipaards Vlei Estate and Gold Mining.—Final dividend of 12½ per cent., making 37½ per cent. for the year. This compares with 50 per cent. last year and 33 1-3 per cent. in 1932-33.

London and New York Investment Corporation.—Payment of 10 per cent., less tax, on Ord. stock. (Same.)

Marston Thompson and Evershed.—Interim dividend of 7½ per cent., tax free (same).

Metal Box.—Payment of 3½ per cent., less tax, on Ord. shares. (Same.)

Murchison Gold Development.—The directors have decided to extend the period for options to subscribe for shares from December 31, 1935, to June 30, 1936.

P. and A. Campbell.—Interim payment on Ord. shares of 3 per cent., less tax. (Same.)

Ruo Estates.—Profit £14,123; final dividend 15 per cent., less tax, making 30 per cent.; forward £8,759.

Scottish Tea and Lands of Ceylon.— In their report for the financial year to August 31 last, embracing the results of the company's crop year, which closed on June 30 last, the directors state that a crop of 3,569,590lb. of tea was produced from the company's estates during the year, which compares with 3,523,488lb. for the preceding year. The export tea was sold on the London market at an average gross price of 14.91d. per lb., against 14.32d. per lb. the previous year. The properties gave an average yield of 508lb. of tea per acre, which compares with 514lb. per acre for the previous year. The estates are reported on as being in good agricultural condition. The new factory at Brookside Estate, serving Brookside and Alnwick Estates, was completed during the year under review, and is working satisfactorily. The labour position remains satisfactory. The acreage of tea in full bearing at June 30 last was 7,033, and of fuel and reserve land 2,868¾, a total of 9,901¾. The profit for the past year amounted to £33,386, against £31,113 in the previous year, and the balance brought forward was £16,787. As already announced, the directors recommend a dividend for the year of 8 per cent., less tax at 2/6 per £1, the same as in the previous year, leaving to be carried forward £18,673.

Tobacco Securities Trust.—A sharp setback in profits is revealed in the preliminary statement for the year to October 31 last. After deducting all charges and management expenses, etc., and providing for tax, the net revenue amounts to £527,103, compared with £758,409 in the previous year—a decline of £231,306. The final dividend on the Ordinary Shares is 10 per cent., less tax, making 15 per cent., against 19 per cent. in each of the two preceding years. No payment is announced on the Deferred Shares, which last year received 18.29 per cent. A sum of £25,000, against nil, is transferred to reserve, leaving the carry forward £4,604 higher at £136,902.

United Molasses.—Consolidated profits for the year show an improvement of nearly £67,000, according to a preliminary statement. The figure, after providing for directors' fees, management expenses, and all other charges, amounts to £718,200, against £651,531. The directors have set aside £297,608 for depreciation, against £283,806, leaving a profit of £420,592, compared with £367,725. After providing for interest on Funded Income Stock and on Income Debenture Stock, Preference Stock dividend, and £110,075, the cost of Funded Income Stock redeemed or purchased, a balance of £233,502 remains, which with £70,025 brought in, makes a total of £303,527 available. A dividend of 8 per cent., against 6 per cent., less tax, is to be paid on the Ordinary Shares. Contribution towards superannuation fund is £8,000, and £50,000 is allocated towards redemption of Funded Income Stock, leaving a balance of £53,000 of that stock still outstanding. General reserve receives £80,000, and the carry forward is down by £24,809 to £45,216.

Youngs, Crawshay and Youngs.—Net profit £38,649. Adding £27,850 brought in makes available balance £66,498. Final dividend 10 per cent., less tax, making 12½ per cent. To general reserve £5,000, pension fund £1,000, tax reserve £1,000, £4,566 to public house improvement. Reserve forward £27,878.

INCREASED OUTPUT OF ELECTRICITY

The official returns rendered to the Electricity Commissioners show that 1,189,000,000 units of electricity were generated by authorised undertakers in Great Britain during August, as compared with the revised figure of 1,059,000,000 units in the corresponding month of 1934, representing an increase of 130,000,000 units, or 12.3 per cent. The number of working days in the month (i.e., excluding Sundays and Bank Holiday) was 26, the same as last year. During the first eight months of 1935, up to the end of August, the total amount of electricity generated by authorised undertakers was 10,907,000,000 units compared with 9,733,000,000 units for the corresponding period of 1934, representing an increase of 1,174,000,000, or 12.1 per cent.

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AMERICAN MARKETS CLOSED

Reuter's Telegrams.

NEW YORK, Thursday.

All the United States markets were closed to day in celebration of Thanksgiving Day.

ARGENTINE GRAINS

Buenos Aires.—Wheat quiet, 12 to 7 points up. Maize quiet, unchanged to 2 points lower. Oats nominal. Linseed quiet, 8 to 9 points cheaper.

Rosario.—Wheat quiet, 3 points higher. Maize quiet, unchanged to 3 points down. Linseed quiet at 7 points decline.

WINNIPEG GRAINS

Wheat opened steady at ⅝c. to ½c. loss. Trading was extremely narrow and featureless, with a slow export demand, and selling by local operators. The market closed quiet, with prices ¼c. to ⅛c. lower. Opening options—December, 85¾ (86⅛); May, 89¾ (90¼); July, unquoted (90¼). Closing options—December, 86⅛ (85⅞); May, 90 (90¼); July, 90⅜ (90½).

Oats steady, ¼c. to ½c. up. Closing options—December, 29¼ (29); May, 31⅝ (31⅝); July, 32⅛ (31⅝).

Rye steady, ⅛c. higher to unchanged. Closing options — December, 41⅜ (41¼); May, 44⅝ (44⅝); July, 45⅞ (45¾).

Barley steady, ¼c. to ⅜c. dearer. Closing options—December, 33½ (33¼); May, 36½ (36⅛); July, 37⅜ (37⅛).

Linseed very steady, ⅞c. to 1c. gain. Closing options—December, 139⅝ (138¾); May, 142¾ (141¾).

(Previous prices in parentheses).

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE

Eng. Equiv.	—	Closing Bid Thur	Closing Bid Wed
139¾	Bell Telephone Co. of Canada	139	140
10⅛	Brazilian T.L. and P. Co., Ltd.	10⅛	9¾
29 5/16	British Columbia Power "A"	29¼	29½
4¾	Do. "B"	4¾	4¾
5¾	Can. Car and Foundry Co.	5¾	5¾
11¼	Do. Preferred	11¼	11⅛
23 11/16	Canadian Celanese Com.	23⅝	23½
118 5/16	Do. do. Pref.	118	118
6⅞	Canada Cement Co.	6⅞	6½
59¾	Do. Preferred	59¼	58
11⅜	Can. Indus. Alcohol Com.	11⅜	
9⅞	Do. "B"	9⅞	9½
11⅞	Canadian Pacific Railway	11⅞	11⅝
8	Canada Steamship Preferred	8⅛	8⅛
8⅛	Cockshutt Plow Co.	8	8⅛
208⅜	Con. Mining and Smelting	208	203½
31 1/16	Dominion Bridge Co., Ltd.	31	31
100 3/16	Dominion Glass Co., Ltd.	100	99
72⅛	Dominion Textiles Co.	72	72
14½	Hollinger Cons. Gold Mines	14½	14½
41 1/16	Inter. Nickel of Canada	41	40⅝
6⅝	Massey Harris Co.	6⅝	6⅝
33 15/16	Montreal Light, Heat	33⅞	34½
50⅛	Do. Debs.	50	50¼
37 15/16	National Breweries, Ltd.	37⅞	37¾
14½	National Steel Car Corp.	14½	14¾
180	Ogilvie Flour Mills Co. Ltd.	180	176
11¼	Power Corporation of Canada	11¼	11
14½	Quebec Power Corporation	14½	14½
20 13/16	Shawinigan Water	20¾	20⅞
13¼	Southern Canada Power	13¼	13
52⅛	Steel Co. of Canada	52	52¼
190⅛	Bank Montreal	190	187½
265½	Bank Nova Scotia	265	262
142¾	Can. Bank Commerce	142½	140
159 9/16	Royal Bank of Canada	159	159
	CURB PRICES.		
37 1/16	Distillers Corp. Seagrams, Ltd	37	36¾
32 9/16	Hiram Walker Gooderham	32½	31½
20 13/16	Imperial Oil, Ltd.	20¾	20⅞
13⅞	Imperial Tobacco Co. of Canada	13⅞	13¾
36 13/16	International Petroleum	36¾	36¾
52⅛	Lake Shore Mines, Ltd.	52	52¾
37 5/16	McIntyre Porcupine Mines	37¼	38⅜
44 15/16	Noranda Mines, Ltd.	44⅞	44¼

* Asked; † Ex div.; ‡ Ex interest; ‖ Ex rights.

IRISH RAILWAY RECEIPT

L.M.S. (Northern Counties).—Last week, £6,130 +692; total 47 weeks, £323,722+15,863.

DAMAGES FOR EX-RECTOR

JURY AWARDS £382

Damages totalling £382 10s. were awarded at Manchester Assizes yesterday to Mr. Harold Francis Davidson, ex-Rector of Stiffkey, in his claim against the Mayor, aldermen and burgesses of Blackpool for alleged false imprisonment.

In Mr. Davidson's statement of claim it was alleged that on August 3 the defendants maliciously and without reasonable or probable cause brought a charge against him, alleging that while exhibiting himself at Central Beach, Blackpool, he attempted to kill and murder himself by fasting.

It was further alleged that the charge was a false one, and that he had been falsely imprisoned, and he asked for special damages amounting to £254 in addition to general damages.

The defence was a denial that their servants or agents had acted maliciously or without reasonable and probable cause. They further said that if any charge was brought against the plaintiff they had reasonable and probable cause for preferring it, and in doing so had acted without malice and in the *bona-fide* belief that they were discharging a public duty.

Mr. Davidson, who was committed for trial to the Sessions at Preston was found not guilty and was discharged.

Yesterday's action was before Mr. Justice Greaves-Lord and a special jury.

The jury were absent for 2 hours 40 minutes.

THE LATE MR. MORRIS WINE

A MISUNDERSTANDING

Mr. Bernard Wine, of Rosetta, Leinster square, Dublin, writes to say that "in connection with the unfortunate death of Mr. Morris Wine, of 46A Grove Park, Rathmines," he has received numerous letters from friends all over Ireland. The Mr. Morris Wine whose death has been reported is not Mr. Bernard Wine's son, and was not connected with Mr. Bernard Wine, or with his family. He bore the same name, however, and was of the same age as Mr. Bernard Wine's son, who is alive, resides at Harold's Cross road, Rathmines, and carries on business at Grafton street and Wicklow street, Dublin.

The Irish Times.

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BOUDOIR Grand Piano for Sale, excellent condition; £50.—D'Olier, Beechlands, Shankill. 27 A

PIANOLA (Steck), in perfect order, for Sale. Address "Z 2010, Pianola," this office. 28 F

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ABOUT Clothes—Highest prices for Ladies', Gents', Children's Left-Off Clothing; Furniture; distance no objection.—Mrs. White, 15 Aungier street. T

A PERSIAN Lamb Coat, with fur collar, to be Sold. Address "Z 1927, Dress," this office. 22 E

FOUR Evening Frocks for Sale, almost new. Address "Z 1959, Dress," this office. 25 E

FOR Sale, Prune Tweed Coat, large kim opossum collar (Leon's), never worn; mourning.—R O 909, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 26 F

FUR Coats Repaired and Cleaned from 20/- by expert Furrier. Country orders attended to. We also Buy Fur Coats in any moth eaten, unwearable condition. Send by post. Best price offered by return.—Feldman, 16 Exchequer street. 27 A

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SHORT Natural Brown Ponyskin Coat, smart; also Gent.'s Brown Overcoat, Evening Suit, slight figure.—B 970, this office. 28 F

WHITE Fox Fur, perfect, double skins (London); £5, cost £18 18/-.—Hepworth, Clonsilla. 26 F

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FOR Sale, 6 years old Horse, well bred; has been to hounds; 15.3 hands. Apply B 955, this office. 28 B

HARNESS Horses for Sale. Seen Sheridan's Stables, 65 Townsend street. 25 E

HORSE for Sale, sound and quiet; suitable light farm work; price £7 0s. 0d. Address "Z 2004, Horse," this office. 27 E

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FOR Sale, Pure-bred Alsatian Dog, black and tan, eighteen months old, guaranteed quiet; can be seen by appointment. Address "Z 2025, Dog," this office. 28 B

FOR Sale, pedigree Wire Fox Terrier Puppies.—Clarke, Eagle Kennels, Dundrum, Dublin. 25 E

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FACTORY or Cinema Site for Sale or Letting, 7,880 feet super. floor space (approximately), or with two Shops in front, with dwellings overhead, 2,620 feet super. floor space (approximately), in good business thoroughfare and populous district. Apply P. J. Wallace, Building Contractor, Aldborough Parade, North Strand, Dublin. 'Phone 44422. 29 B

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GRAZING, Sheep and Cattle, in Dunleary Wanted. Apply Dempsey Bros., Dunleary. 25 E

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AT Clontarf—Substantial, non-basement House, open situation; three reception, four bedrooms, two maids' bedrooms, large garden, garage; exceptionally attractive. Apply Franks and Franks, 23 Stephen's Green. 25 E

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HOUSES AND LANDS CONTINUED.

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RATHMINES—£950—Compact detached House, 2 reception, 3 bedrooms, breakfast room, maid's room, kitchen, garden front and rear.

PALMERSTON road vicinity—£1,450—Semi detached compact House, 3 reception, 4 bedrooms, 2 maids' rooms, hot and cold bath, garden front and rear, garage.

CLONTARF—£1,100—An attractive Residence, standing detached on 1 acre, with ornamental garden and fish pond, garden at rear and garage; 2 reception, 3 bedrooms, hot and cold bath.

RATHMINES—£550—Neat House, 2 reception, 3 bedrooms, hot and cold bath, small garden, electric light and gas.

RATHGAR—£850—Pre-war semi detached House, 2 reception, 5 bedrooms, large kitchen, hot and cold bath, garden front and rear, electric light throughout; newly decorated.

BRAY—£880—Semi detached non basement, 2 reception 4 bedrooms, hot and cold bath, garden, garage, electric light and gas; remission of rates for 20 years.

PALMERSTON road vicinity—£1,900—Well constructed House, in excellent order, with ample accommodation. Full particulars on application.

MONKSTOWN—£2,000—Modern House, in excellent condition, beautifully decorated; 3 reception, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, hot and cold bath, garden front and rear, space for garage, electric light and gas.

BOOTERSTOWN—£900—Detached non basement, 2 reception, breakfast room, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, electric light and gas, garden.

FOXROCK — £2,100—Detached non basement House, 3 reception, 6 bedrooms, 2 maids' rooms, hot and cold bath, good garden, garage, electric light.

RATHFARNHAM District—Residential Holding, on approximately 22 acres; price £1,100.

SANDYCOVE—£1,100—An exceptionally well constructed House, semi detached, non basement, 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, hot and cold bath, large garden, space for garage; the house is decorated throughout and ready for immediate occupation; drawingroom 14' x 13', diningroom 13' x 13'; square bay windows, porch entrance and spacious hall; this house is certainly worth inspection and is out of the ordinary run of modern houses.

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HERBERT Park Vicinity—£1,750—Semi detached non basement House, 2 reception, 5 bedrooms, 2 boxrooms, hot and cold bath, garden front and rear; house in perfect condition throughout.

BALLSBRIDGE—£1,200—Semi detached, 3 reception, 4 bedrooms, dressing room, hot and cold bath, space for garage, electric light and gas.

MONKSTOWN—£1,800 — Semi detached non basement compact House, 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, dressing room, 3 maids' rooms, garden, garage; a splendidly built house.

RATHGAR—£1,600—Modern semi detached non basement House, 2 reception, 5 bedrooms, hot and cold bath, electric light, garden and garage; remission of rates for 7 years from 1932.

BRIGHTON road—£1,250—Soundly built semi detached non basement House, 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, hot and cold bath, space for garage.

CASIMIR road—£825—Modern pre-war House, 2 reception, 3 bedrooms, electric light, garden front and rear.

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TO RENT

BUSHY Park road—£110 and taxes—Very attractive semi detached non basement House; 3 reception, 5 bedrooms, maid's room, hot and cold bath, space for garage, electric light and gas; also £100 and taxes, semi detached, 3 reception, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, electric light and gas, good garden, garage.

RATHMINES—£108 per annum, inclusive—A semi detached non basement House, 2 reception, 3 bedrooms, maid's room, hot and cold bath, large garage, electric light and gas; newly decorated.

ORWELL road Vicinity—Semi detached non basement, 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, hot and cold bath, garden front and rear, space for garage, electric light and gas; £84 per annum, inclusive.

OLD Cabra road—Modern House, 2 reception, 3 bedrooms, bathroom (hot and cold water), nice garden front and rear; rent £104 per annum, inclusive.

PEMBROKE District—Commodious House, with 10 rooms, garden, garage, electric light, hot and cold bath; to Let at £140 per annum and taxes.

DONNYBROOK—Compact House, newly decorated throughout, electric light, power, and gas; 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, tiled kitchen, hot and cold bath, side entrance, bicycle shed; £100 per annum, inclusive.

THOS. DOCKRELL, SONS & CO., LTD.,
SOUTH GREAT GEORGE'S STREET, DUBLIN. 27 X

AT Sandycove—£750, modern brick House; 7 rooms, lounge, hall, kitchen, etc.; bargain.—Le Clerc and Donovan, Sandycove. 26 F

AT Merton Park, Ranelagh—Modern, attractive Houses for Sale, price £925 and £975. Apply on site. 10 28

AT Blackrock, ideal housing estate, Maretimo Gardens, Newtown avenue, beside all travelling facilities, good shopping centre, select neighbourhood—Exceptionally well built Houses, of pleasing designs, prices £850, £1,175 and £1,650, magnificent views over Dublin Bay, private bathing; suitable terms arranged; inspection invited. Particulars on site, or from Archer, 12 Lower Fitzwilliam street. 'Phone, 62023. 27 A

AT 85 Philipsburgh avenue, Fairview—Compact 5-roomed House, perfect order, bargain at £600; open all day.—Archer, 12 Lower Fitzwilliam street, 'Phone, 62023. 27 A

A CHARMING Rustic Residence, south side; elegant; perfectly serviced; replete modern refinements; electric and gas fire points all rooms; excellent grounds; exquisitely situated; select; £1,100; Terms—State Agents, 9 Clonturk Park. 'Phone: Drumcondra 112. 28 B

AT Rathgar, high ground, £2,000—Pre-war, non-basement; 9 rooms; garage, large garden; mountain views.—McMahon's, 6 Nassau street.

BLACKROCK—Semi-detached, pre-war, brick built, non-basement House, containing 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, tiled kitchen, h. and c. bath, separate lavatory; good garden, side entrance; 5 minutes' walk tram, bus, rail, sea and churches; head rent £6; price, for quick sale, £950.—Thos. Dockrell, Sons and Co., Ltd., Agents, Dublin. 25 E

EGLINTON Road—Superior pre-war House, in perfect order, £1,300.—Etchingham and Co., 11 Lower Baggot street. 25 E

FOR Sale, Copeland avenue, Howth road, semi-detached House; eight apartments; immediate possession; price £900, deposit £100, balance easy terms. Apply Somers, 35 Amiens street. 'Phone 45095. 26 A

INVESTMENT for £900—House in best part of Dun Laoghaire, let in flats at low rents; net income £97 a year; fullest investigation invited.—Franks and Franks, 23 Stephen's Green. 28 B

KILLINEY—2 reception, 4 bedrooms, 1 servant's; basementless; garden and garage; £1,250.—Arthur Jones, Son, 10 Stephen's Green.

NEPTUNE terrace, Sandycove—Attractive, non-basement Residence, nine apartments, perfect order; price £865.—Power, 37 Corrig avenue, Dun Laoghaire. 26 F

SANDYCOVE—Basementless; 2 reception, 4 bedrooms, garden, £1,150.—Arthur Jones, Son, 10 Stephen's Green.

S.C.R.—Basementless; 2 reception, 4 bed, garden; £825.—Arthur Jones, Son, 10 Stephen's Green.

TWO-VALVE Low-Wave Wireless Circuit (Illustrated). See the "Weekly Irish Times" to-day. Price twopence. 26 F

THE D'Arcys should see the "Irish Family Names" feature in the "Weekly Irish Times" to-day. Price twopence. 26

95 MARLBOROUGH road, Donnybrook—No outlay; 7 apartments, long garden, side entrance; ground £2 18/6, valuation £25; open 12-1. By appointment. 53 Leeson Park. 27 A

HOUSES TO LET.

A MAGNIFICENT suburban, modern Residence, convenient. Apply State Agents, 9 Clonturk Park. 25

ARCHER'S have good Houses, in perfect order, for Letting—Blackrock, £90 and £108; Clontarf, £90; also Half Houses. Apply 12 Lower Fitzwilliam street. 'Phone, 62023. 27 A

ALLEN and Townsend, 11 Stephen's Green—Special Offers: Leeson Park, £90; Waterloo road, £100; Cabra, £104 and rates; Whitehall road, £100; Templeogue, £84 free; Kimmage, £78, £85; Rathgar, £108; Dalkey, £60.

ATTRACTIVE House, Unfurnished: 9 rooms, bath; gardens. Apply, letter, 12 Royal terrace, West, Dun Laoghaire.

BROWNE and Dowse, Grafton street, opposite Woolworth's, offer—Kimmage, £104, £85; Merrion square, Half House £130; Rathgar, £84, £104; Rathmines, £95, exclusive; Cowper road, £115; Terenure, £130; Waterloo road, £100, exclusive; Grosvenor road, £120. 26 F

DUN Laoghaire—Unfurnished spacious private Residence, garden, garage, electric light. Apply Universal Bureau, Dun Laoghaire.

HOUSES for Letting, Furnished and Unfurnished. Apply Prim Bros., 21 Dawson street. X

HOUSE to Let, Upper Leeson street, eight rooms, garage; rent £100 and rates.—B 914, this office. 27 A

HOUSES to Let—Dartmouth square, Rathmines, Terenure, Palmerston road, Rathgar road, Northumberland road, Ailesbury road.—Etchingham and Co., 11 Lower Baggot street. 27 A

HOUSE to Let, nice pleasure grounds, tennis court, bowling green, well stocked garden, stabling; near Foxrock.—B 968, this office. 28 F

HOUSE to Let, Neville road, Rathgar; 2 reception rooms, 4 bedrooms; garden front and rear, large garage; rent £108 free.—B 985, this office.

"NURNEY," 9 St. Canice's road, Ballymun road, new brick built house; 4 bedrooms, 2 reception rooms, electricity, gas, telephone, garage, garden; £8 monthly, free. Inquiries at No. 3. 28 F

AUCTIONS.

"BATTERSBY'S AUCTIONS."

TO-DAY (FRIDAY), at 12 o'clock,
AT OUR PROPERTY SALEROOMS, 39 WESTMORELAND STREET
(UNLESS PREVIOUSLY DISPOSED OF):
8 PALMERSTON VILLAS, RATHMINES.
SEMI-DETACHED, WELL-BUILT RESIDENCE, WITH POSSESSION.
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AUCTIONEERS and VALUERS, M.I.A.A., F.A.I.,
39 WESTMORELAND STREET, DUBLIN.

HOUSES TO LET CONTINUED.

TO Let, modern, semi-detached, 7 roomed House, garage; good locality, North suburbs; £100 year, free.—B 858, this office. 26 E

TO Let, small House, over business premises, 35 Kildare street, self-contained, £70 and taxes. 28 B

HOUSES WANTED

CIVIL Servant wishes to Rent House, Rathmines, South Circular road; best security.—B 978, this office. 28 B

WANTED immediately, House near village or town; state rent.—B 771, this office. 25 E

WANTED to Rent, House on Merrion Estate or district.—B 915, this office. 27 A

WE have numerous inquiries from prospective purchasers of medium sized and small detached Houses, near Dublin, and shall be glad to hear from intending vendors or their solicitors.—Franks and Franks, House Agents, 23 Stephen's Green. 27 A

WANTED to Purchase or Rent, a two or three roomed Cottage, within easy reach of city, on 'bus route. Address "Z 2021, Cottage," this office. 28 F

WANTED to Rent or Purchase, between Dundrum and Enniskerry, House, about six apartments; one to five acres.—R O 910, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 28 F

WANTED, in or near city, detached Residence (old house would suit), reasonable price.—B 967, this office. 28 F

£3,000 GIVEN for gentleman's Residence, Co. Dublin, with 3-6 acres; describe fully. B 879, this office. 26 F

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DUBLIN AND DISTRICT.

APARTMENTS Agency—Flats, Board Residence, Furnished Apartments.—Miss White, 25 Nassau street. T

AT 21 Fitzwilliam square—Board Residence, every modern convenience; personal supervision; moderate. 80 20

AT 11 Merrion square—Hall Floor, 6 room, bathroom, two kitchens; vacant 16th December. Viewed by arrangement with Housekeeper. 28 1

AGENCY Bureau, 16 Basin street, has Hall Flats and others; city; two adults. 25 E

AT 16 Northumberland road—Bed-Sittingrooms, board, from 35/-; central; telephone, garage. 16 E

AT 3 Herbert street—Self Contained Flats to Let, reasonable rents. Open from 11 to 4 p.m. 25 E

AT 70 Gerville avenue, Rathgar—Board Residence, full, partial; comfortable; very moderate. 26 F

AT 9 Winton road, Leeson Park—Bed-Sittingroom, full board; vacant now. 26 F

AT 52 Upper Leeson street—Select Guest House, one Lady or Gent can have very nice Single Room, superior accommodation; moderate. 26 F

A FURNISHED Bed Sittingroom, with cooking accommodation, combined.—16 Castlewood avenue Rathmines. 26 F

A COMFORTABLE, fully Furnished, modern Flat, every convenience; quiet; moderate; adults.—211 Griffith avenue, Whitehall. 27 A

AT 9 Iona road—Comfortable Apartments (gent.), partial board; 24/- per week; bed-sittingroom if desired, or full board. 27 A

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AT 7 Leinster road, Rathmines—Front, sunny Bed-Sittingroom; suit lady; attendance. 28 B

A BED Sittingroom to Let, Rathmines; quiet house; suit two; 27/6, full board; telephone. Address "Z 2031, Bed-Sittingroom," this office. 28 B

ABSOLUTELY self-contained Furnished Flat; also Furnished Bed-Sittingroom.—7 Upper Pembroke street. 28 B

A 2 roomed Furnished Flat, kitchenette, etc.; beautiful outlook, Trinity College; very central; 'phone. Also Residential Office.—B 993, this office. 28 B

BED Sittingroom, all modern conveniences; Partial if desired; excellent cooking. 'Phone: Ballsbridge 365. 25 E

COMFORTABLE Furnished Flat; kitchenette, all conveniences.—18 Windsor road, Rathmines. 25 E

COMFORTABLY Furnished, large, modern Bed-Sittingroom; suit two; good catering.—2 Upper Mount street. 25 E

COMFORTABLE Furnished Flat, every convenience (adults). After 3, 38 Grosvenor road, Rathgar. 28 B

DUBLIN Service Flats, 28 Upper Pembroke street (telephone 62888)—Bed-Sittingrooms from 1 guinea; well Furnished Suites, private bathrooms; any period; restaurant, garage. T

FITZWILLIAM Square—Combined Room and Kitchen, Unfurnished; £1 week.—B 890, this office. 26 F

FURNISHED Two-roomed Flat.—43 Upper Mount street. Seen 5 to 6 p.m. 28 F

HALL Floor—Two Front Rooms to Let; suit doctor, dentist or other professional business. Apply Caretaker, 4 Harrington street. 27 A

HALL Flat, self-contained, Unfurnished; Pembroke; three rooms, bath, kitchenette. Apply 48 Wellington road. 28 F

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RATHGAR—Comfortable Combined Room; bath, electric light; board optional.—14 Coulson avenue. 25 E

SELF-CONTAINED Flats and Maisonettes, Furnished and Unfurnished, for Letting, all districts, city and suburbs. Apply Prim Bros., 21 Dawson street. X

SMALL Flat, South side, 1d. tram from centre of city; from 1st January; rent moderate.—B 805, this office. 25 E

SELF-CONTAINED Garden Flat, garage optional, 59 Wellington road, Ballsbridge. Apply 56 Grosvenor square, Rathmines; also spare Garage. 26 F

SELF-CONTAINED Flat, Morehampton road, two bedrooms, one sittingroom; reasonable.—B 992, this office. 28 F

SELECT Accommodation, suit gentleman; garage, telephone.—47 Waterloo road. 28 B

TO Let, Furnished or Unfurnished, Flat on hall floor.—Wilton Place Mansions. 27 E

TERENURE—Comfortable Bed Sittingroom, partial board; gentleman only boarder; select, 35/- weekly. Address "Z 2028, Apartments," this office.

TO Let, Unfurnished, in quiet residential house (C. of I.), Rathmines, 3 roomed self contained Flat, electric light, gas cooker, use of bathroom, garage. Address "Z 1998, Flat," this office. 27 B

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UNFURNISHED Top Flat, self-contained, to Let, Waterloo road. Apply 18 Dawson street for further particulars. 28 F

WELL Furnished, most comfortable three roomed Flat; adults; reference.—4 Zion road, Rathgar. 25 E

46 UPPER Mount street—Comfortably Furnished 3 roomed Flat; 30/- weekly. 27 A

APARTMENTS AND FLATS WANTED.

ADULT family (civil servants) require Flat, 4 or 5 rooms; city; £52.—B 827, this office. 25 F

FLAT Wanted, self-contained, four rooms, kitchenette, bathroom, etc.; garden if possible; South side; £60 to £70.—B 818, this office. 25 E

GENTLEMAN requires Board Residence, South city or suburbs; give terms and particulars.—B 960, this office.

WANTED, Furnished Flat, good locality, Dublin or Kingstown; state particulars and terms. Address "Z 2011, Flat," this office.

WANTED, Furnished Flat, Stephen's Green vicinity, four months; two careful tenants.—B 776, this office. 25 X

WANTED, small Unfurnished Flat, moderate (Protestant), self-contained.—B 975, this office. 28 F

NURSING HOMES AND INSTITUTIONS

HOME for Invalids; beautiful rooms, most comfortably furnished, modern hygienic beds; trained nurses; Ballsbridge district, close to park; from 3 guineas.—B 938, this office. 27 A

SEASIDE AND COUNTRY.

HOUSES TO LET AND WANTED.

BLACKROCK, main road—Detached House; 3 bedrooms, 2 reception; garage, garden, etc.; Furnished: £126 per annum.—B 982, this office. 28 B

GREYSTONES—Furnished House, by month, year; five bedrooms; tennis, garden; electric; Burnaby.—17 Raglan road. 28 B

TO Let, modern semi detached 7 roomed House, 8 miles Dublin (North), beside 'bus, train.—B 973, this office. 28 B

WANTED to Rent, non-basement Unfurnished House, near sea, Blackrock to Killiney; three to four bedrooms; garage; state rent. Address "Z 1962, House," this office. 25 E

WANTED to Purchase, a small Cottage or House, detached, in country district, with good garden & a fowl run; need not be near 'bus route or railway station, in the district of Enniskerry, Kilmacanogue, Greystones, Delgany, etc.; price not to exceed £350.—Thos Dockrell, Sons and Co., Ltd., 27 A

APARTMENTS AND FLATS TO LET AND WANTED, SEASIDE AND COUNTRY.

A WARM and comfortable Hall Flatlet, vacant 1st December; Dun Laoghaire; Partially Furnished: 15/- weekly; or Combined Room and Kitchenette, 10/- weekly; constant hot water, etc.; adults only.—Box 962, Stephens's Library, Dun Laoghaire.

ATTRACTIVE, commodious Drawingroom Flat, Unfurnished; 3 bedrooms, sittingroom, kitchen, bathroom; garden; redecorated to suit. Apply Caretaker, 34 Belgrave square, Monkstown.

DUN Laoghaire (sea front), Crofton Mansions, Crofton road—Genuine self-contained Flat; 3 bedrooms, 2 reception, maid's room, bathroom, kitchen; garage; £130 inclusive. Apply to Caretaker. 8 26

DUN Laoghaire—Well Furnished Rooms, Kitchenette, or Partial Board; select. Address "Z 1999, Rooms," this office. 27 F

SEASIDE AND COUNTRY CONTINUED.

DUN Laoghaire—Five roomed Unfurnished Flat, £75; also pretty Furnished Flat (sea front). Apply Universal Bureau, Northumberland avenue, Dun Laoghaire.

DUN Laoghaire, 12 Newtownsmith—Drawingroom Flat, Unfurnished, on sea front, self contained; 4 rooms and kitchenette, bathroom (hot and cold water), electric light, gas, telephone. 27 B

DUN Laoghaire—To Let, Furnished, Bed-Sittingroom, on garden level, with own kitchenette; suit one lady; rent 10/- weekly; sea and country air.—B 981, this office.

FLATS, Unfurnished, to Let, very fine.—27 Longford terrace, Monkstown. 26 A

GENTLEMAN can have very comfortable Apartments, private house, best part of Kingstown, full or partial board; moderate terms.—851, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 26 F

KINGSTOWN—Well Furnished, 2 bedrooms, front sittingroom, bath, etc.; attendance.—856, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

KINGSTOWN—Furnished Flat, bedroom, sittingroom, kitchenette; very choice and select; £1 per week to suitable tenant.—855, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown.

QUIET superior Accommodation (vacant), Clarinda Park; good partial board.—XX Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 26 F

TO Let, Sandycove, Room, all conveniences; one lady; 6/6 weekly.—858, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 28 F

TWO-VALVE Low-Wave Wireless Circuit (Illustrated). See the "Weekly Irish Times" to-day. Price twopence. 26 F

WELL Furnished Flat, facing sea; £1 weekly.—14 Longford terrace, Monkstown. 28 B

MISCELLANEOUS.

AT Sharpley's, Baby Linen Specialists—Ladies invited to write for Catalogue Baby Linen, Accouchement, Nursery Requisites.—Nassau street, Lower Camden street. T

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CIRCULAR Letters neatly executed on customers' own paper, 12/- per 1,000; paper supplied, 17/6 per 1,000. At 96 Marlborough street. 'Phone 44211. 27 A

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MANOR Mill Laundry—Highest class work; Collars and Table Linen a speciality. 78 21

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PERMANENT Waving by experts, 12/6; Tinting from 5/6; Eugene Perms, 21/-.—Bennett, Ltd., 128 Stephen's Green. T

PSYCHO-ANALYSIS—Advice choice of professions, etc. Address "Z 2026, Psycho-Analysis," this office. 28 B

THANKSGIVING to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, the Immaculate Conception, Saints Anthony, Gerard and Teresa for particular favour received. Publication promised.

CRITICAL COAL SITUATION

NO BASIS OF AGREEMENT YET REACHED

The coal situation is still regarded as indefinite and somewhat critical. Both the coal-owners and the mine-workers held meetings in London yesterday, and Captain Crookshank, the Secretary for Mines, was in consultation with the Prime Minister and other members of the Government.

Last night the representatives of the coal-owners met the Secretary for Mines at the Mines Department. The deputation was headed by Sir Evan Williams, and the proceedings lasted over two hours. At the conclusion it was stated that there was no official announcement to be made.

It is understood that the Secretary for Mines may meet the coal-owners' representatives again to-day, and subsequently the National Executive of the Mine-workers' Federation.

DUBLIN CATTLE PRICES

Average price per cwt., live-weight, of fat cattle, fat sheep and fat lambs in yesterday's Dublin Market:—

FAT CATTLE.

Year.	Nov. 28. s. d.	Nov. 21. s. d.	Nov. 14. s. d.
1935	19 0	19 6	18 9
At corresponding dates in previous years:—			
1934	23 0	23 9	23 9
1933	22 0	21 3	22 3
1920	90 3	87 6	86 3
1916	55 6	53 3	51 3
1914	38 3	37 0	36 0

FAT SHEEP.

Year.	Nov. 28. s. d.	Nov. 21. s. d.	Nov. 14. s. d.
1935	29 9	30 0	30 3
At corresponding dates in previous years:—			
1934	32 3	32 6	32 3
1933	26 3	28 6	26 6
1920	106 3	98 3	97 3
1916	54 6	54 6	51 6
1914	39 0	37 6	38 0

FAT LAMBS.

Year.	Nov. 28. s. d.	Nov. 21. s. d.	Nov. 14. s. d.
1935	32 0	33 3	33 6
At corresponding dates in previous years:—			
1934	33 9	34 6	34 0
1933	28 6	29 0	27 9
1920	101 9	107 0	106 6
1916	59 6	56 3	56 9
1914	42 6	43 0	41 9

LONDON METALS MARKET

TIN—Market very dull and prices the turn easier. Official quotations marked a decline of 15/- to 20/- per ton for cash and 5/- to 10/- forward on balance. Standard cash quoted £220 10/- to £221, three months £211 10/- to £212; settlement £221. Sales amounted to 100 tons; cash at £221, three months £212 to £211 15/-. English ingots quoted £221. East sold £218 1/3 c.i.f. COPPER generally steady, with a fair demand. Official quotations were unaltered. Standard cash quoted £35 2/6 to £35 3/9, three months £35 10/- to £35 11/3; settlement £35 2/6. 1,400 tons changed hands; cash at £35 3/9, three months £35 13/9 to £35 11/3. Electros quoted £39 to £39 10/-, wire bars £39 10/-. LEAD met a fair trade at lower rates. 900 tons sold. Good soft foreign pig February £18 to £17 18/9, March £18 to £17 17/6; settlement £17 17/6. English quoted £20. SPELTER easier, while in quiet support. 300 tons sold. January £16 1/3 to £16, February £16 1/3 to £16 2/6; settlement £16. SILVER easier. Cash quoted 31⅛d. to 31⅛d.; settlement 31⅛d., three months 31d. to 31⅛d. Sales, 15,000 ozs.; three months 31d. to 31⅛d. per fine oz. ANTIMONY quiet. English regulus spot £78 to £80, Chinese do. spot £68, November-December £52, crude do. £33 per ton c.i.f.

SECOND SESSION—Tin dull. 35 tons sold. Cash buyers £220 10/-; three months sold £211 10/-, closing buyers £211 5/-; 6th December sold £220 10/-, 24th January £214. Copper steady. 300 tons sold; cash at £35 3/9, three months £35 11/3 to £35 12/6, closing buyers £35 11/3. Lead firmer. 450 tons sold; good soft foreign pig, all positions, £17 18/9. Australian sellers £18 5/-. Spelter and silver idle and values nominally unaltered.

LONDON WOOL SALES

One catalogue was offered totalling 10,875 bales, comprising 935 New South Wales, 803 Queensland, 36 Victorian, 2,222 West Australian, 205 South Australian, 6,076 New Zealand, 598 South African, also 28 Karakul, 12 Fiji and 15 sweepings. Brisk competition prevailed by Bradford and Continental operators, and firm rates were realised. The following were some of the chief prices realised:—New South Wales—Greasy merino 16d. to 17½d., combing 18½d., broken 13½d. to 14d., pieces 11d. to 11½d. Queensland—Scoured merino 26d., greasy merino 13½d. to 16½d., necks 14d. to 16d., broken 13½d. to 14d., pieces 12½d. to 13d., bellies 11½d. to 13d. West Australian—Greasy merino combing 13d. to 16d., broken 11d. to 13½d., pieces 10½d. to 13½d., lambs 9¾d. to 13½d. South Australian—Scoured merino combing 23½d. to 24½d. New Zealand—Scoured merino combing 24½d. to 25½d., pieces 23d., scoured merino combing 19½d. to 24½d., pieces 18d. to 23d., bellies 19d. to 22d., greasy cross-bred 9¼d. to 12d., slipe half-bred lambs 15d. to 17½d., cross-bred do. 10½d. to 14½d. South African—Snow white 23d., greasy merino combing 13d. to 16d. per lb.

GOOD DEMAND AT SYDNEY.

At the closing wool sale yesterday at Sydney of the third series this season competition for the offerings was good and general. The market was unchanged at the level of prices ruling the last few days. There was a good selection of wool.

HIGHER PRICES AT AUCKLAND.

At the first New Zealand wool sale this season at Auckland offerings totalled 20,707 bales. Good-conditioned wool met with strong demand, and a clearance estimated at 90 per cent. was effected. Prices for medium sorts showed an increase of 1½d. to 2d. a pound, and those for good-style super an increase of 2d. to 2½d. Compared with last season, the best price obtained was 17½d. for five bales of super half-bred.

FOOD AND PRODUCE MARKETS

Dublin—Best Cattle firm to dearer, Sheep and Lambs in demand, especially best classes. Dairy Cattle slower, and prices were maintained for Pigs, of which there were large supplies. York—Good show of Irish Stores, but prices tending lower. London—Grain cargoes quiet, Rubber steady, Tin dull, and Copper steady.

CATTLE.

DUBLIN (METROPOLITAN).

	Numbers on sale this weeks as compared with last.	Corresponding weeks of 1933.	1934.
Beasts	3,592—increase 179	4,184	3,653
Sheep and lambs	6,131—increase 202	6,226	6,035
Veal calves...	7—decrease 3	6	18

Cattle trade, on the whole, was well maintained, but the larger number of beasts to handle made it difficult to better the money position, in the main, although there was an occasional 6d. to 1s. per cwt. more here and there for a beast of outstanding quality; but coming to handle the secondary and coarser grades of animals, the price question was again hard to fix; still, at current terms sales were possible for everything of useful character. There was a good attendance of buyers, with fair numbers taken for Germany. Cross-Channel trade, however, continues slow, and buyers in this direction fought hard for some concession, but in the give-and-take of things closing values showed little change one way or the other. Leading local victuallers were early on the track for choice handy-weight bullocks and heifers, which again proved scarce and readily placed to better advantage, after which matters took a slow turn; but market, nevertheless, sold up fairly well around the following prices:—Best bullocks and heifers 18s. 6d. to 20s. per live cwt., extra 21s. to 23s., good commercial sorts 16s. to 18s., others 14s. to 15s. In the beef cow section buyers appeared in better form, and, although it was difficult to see any actual change in the money position, market, all the same, proved healthier, with a good clearance effected. Bulls still in demand, all suitable to export requirements being readily placed at 12s. to 14s. 6d. per cwt., best young cows 12s. to 14s, useful sorts 9s. to 11s. 6d., and aged, etc., 6s. to 8s. The show of Christmas cattle on 11th December next will bring out 549 exhibits.

SHEEP AND LAMBS.

Entries of sheep and lambs were over 200 head more than last week. There was a full attendance of buyers in home interests, but one or two cross-Channel men failed to put in an appearance. Trade, nevertheless, opened well for suitable descriptions of meated sheep and lambs, but after leading victuallers' requirements were covered business turned slow; still, there were plenty of buyers at last week's top values for everything of useful quality, but a clearance, all the same, did not seem possible, there being many pens of dealers' sheep still on hands which failed to realise reserved prices. Shippers were more interested in small fat lambs, but anything short of condition was neglected. Prime mutton 6d. to 6½d. per lb., useful quality 5d. to 5½d., rougher 4d. to 4½d., and lambs 16s. to 38s. per head, according to class.

DAIRY CATTLE.

Just 168 head of milch cattle were entered for sale here this week, or a decrease of 62 over previous gathering. Owing to an outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease in England buyers from Manchester district have more or less suspended buying for the present, and, with disappointing support from home dairymen, sales were tedious and discouraging; but the choicer article, nevertheless, repeated previous values, which were entirely due to scarcity, as the show in point of quality was just ordinary, and a clearance was not possible around the following prices:—Best cows £12 to £14, extra £15 10s. per head, heifers £12 to £15, secondary sorts £9 to £11, and smalls, etc., £7 to £8.

PIGS.

Market brought together 1,639 head of swine, which was just 163 increase on previous supply. The gathering of both porkers and baconers was generally of good, useful class, and, with a full attendance of buyers, trade worked out fairly satisfactorily on about previous basis of prices. Although heavy-weights were not so anxiously bid for, all on offer were disposed of around late rates. Sows, however, were not so keenly bid for as were slips and bonhams, only those in forward condition finding buyers' marks. Prime light-weight porkers 52s. to 54s. per cwt., medium and heavy baconers 42s. to 50s., sows 26s. to 30s., slips and bonhams 14s. to 30s. per head.

YORK.—Fairly large show of Irish store cattle, and, if anything, animals were a shade worse to buy, and the highest price was £16 10/-, except for one or two exceptionally good lots. English cattle made to £8. Smaller offer of calving and milch cows, for which the highest price was £23 10/-. Light show of sheep.

BRISTOL.—There were 620 fresh Irish cattle and 125 English. Short supply of beef, of which best made 6¼d. to 6½d. per lb. Little better inquiry for store cattle generally. Best three-year-olds £15 to £16, two-year-olds £13 to £14, yearlings £9 to £11 10/-. Most lots were sold. Very few milch cattle, and prices were a turn dearer—£16 to £19 each for best.

BIRMINGHAM PIG.—Supplies a little shorter, about fair, with an average demand, and values steady. Bacons of suitable weight and quality steadily taken up at schedule rates. Cutters 11/- to 11/6, and sows 6/6 per score, dead-weight.

DONNELLY, DUBLIN, LTD.

Export Pork Prices.

Pigs under 6 stone ...	52/-	per cwt., dead-weight.
" " 7 " ...	48/-	" "
" " 8 " ...	44/-	" "
" " 9 " ...	42/-	" "
Sows	28/-	

Bacon Pigs over 12 stone not wanted.—(Advt.)

GRAIN.

FLOATING GRAIN CARGOES (BALTIC)—WHEAT—Cargoes firm for Canadian grades at 1½d. per quarter advance, following better overnight cables, but demand slow to develop, while other sorts remained unaltered; No. 1 Northern Manitoba Atlantic shipment December sellers 33/7½. No. 2 ditto 32/1½. West Australian new crop December 29/3, South ditto January 28/9, New South Wales old crop afloat 29/6 to 29/9, as to position, ditto new crop December 28/9. January 28/6. Parcels quiet; Manitoba kinds ruled 1½d. to 3d. per quarter dearer, but others generally unchanged. No. 1 Northern Manitoba Vancouver December sellers 33/9, No. 2 Vancouver December 32/6, Atlantic November 31/9, No. 3 Vancouver December 31/-, No 4 Manitoba Vancouver December 30/-. No. 5 Vancouver December 26/9 per quarter of 480lb. c.i.f. terms. MAIZE—Cargo market dull at 1½d. to 3d. per quarter decline; River Plate afloat sellers 15/9, shipping/shipped, also December, 15/10½, January 16/-, February, also March, 16/1½. Parcels inactive, and trend of values in buyers' favour; River Plate afloat, also November, sellers 15/6, December 15/7½, January, also March, 15/9 per quarter of 480lb. c.i.f. BARLEY quiet, on former terms. Parcels of River Plate 64-65 kilos December sellers 14/9, January-February 15/-. Russian November-December 15th 14/6, December 14/9, January 15/-. Persian January 14/6, No. 3 Canadian Western Atlantic November-December 16/-, No. 4 ditto 15/6 per quarter of 400lb. c.i.f., Californian superior quality November-December sellers 23/6, Australian No. 1 Chevalier December-January 24/-, Polish December 16/3 per quarter of 448lb. c.i.f. OATS steady, but business of a restricted character. Parcels of River Plate new crop January-February sellers 13/6, No. 2 Canadian Western Atlantic November 18/3, No. 3 ditto 15/9, No. 1 Canadian feed Atlantic November 15/1½, No. 2 ditto 14/3 per quarter of 320lb. c.i.f.

LIVERPOOL.—WHEAT—Overseas markets were generally disappointing, but, with smaller Russian shipments, forward deliveries of wheat here showed no change at the outset, but afterwards gave way to a fair extent owing to free offerings of French wheat at lower prices. Later afternoon Argentine cables, however, caused a recovery, though prices again receded on sellers offering more freely, final rates marking a fair depreciation from previous night. C.i.f. parcels inactive. No. 2 Manitoba afloat sold at 31/6 to Manchester; Rosario-Santa Fe, January-February, quoted 27/3; and French December and January 22/6 per qr. C.i.f. parcels River Plate maize neglected and nominally unchanged. Wheat on the spot quiet and easier. MAIZE—Spot parcels steady at 3/6¼ per cental for River Plate. FLOUR quiet at late rates. Graded wheat futures opened unchanged, then gave way until ½d. under previous night had been accepted. Later recovered ½d. to ¾d. but again receded, the market finishing quiet at ¼d. to ½d. decline on the day. Values—December 6/0¾. March and May 5/10 per cental. Sales—150 loads.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL.—BACON—Continental still quiet, buyers taking English bacon chiefly owing to its relative cheapness, and, although supplies of Continental are small, holders are free sellers at the official quotations, and purchases in some cases can be made at slight discounts. Danish exceptionally being fairly steady. Danish 79/- to 86/-, Swedish and Dutch 73/- to 78/-, Polish 72/- to 78/-, Canadian quiet at 69/- to 70/- for Wiltshires, and Irish quietly steady at 71/- to 76/- per cwt. HAMS steady and in fair demand at the recent advance. LARD on the spot dull of sale, and partially 1/- lower. Argentine now 69/- to 71/-, Brazilian 68/6 to 70/6. Polish 70/- to 72/- per cwt. CHEESE quiet, and New Zealand coloured easier at 54/6 to 58/6 per cwt. BUTTER quiet, and Colonial reduced 1/- to 2/-. New Zealand finest now 102/- to 106/- first grade and also Australian 101/- to 105/- per cwt. EGGS generally unchanged. Australian 15lb. and 14lb. exceptionally 3d. lower and now 12/6 and 12/3 per 120 respectively. In the weekly revision of bacon prices during the late afternoon no quotable change was made in any description.

LONDON CENTRAL MEAT.—Supplies to market 2,262 tons, being 705 tons British and Irish produce, and 1,557 tons imported. Fresh beef a poor trade; pork in excess of demand. BEEF (National Mark prices):—English long sides (select) 3/10 to 4/2, do. prime 3/4 to 3/10, do. good 3/2 to 3/6. General prices (including National Mark):—English long sides 3/2 to 4/2, do. hindquarters, forerib and flank 3/8 to 4/2; Irish (Birkenhead killed) sides 3/- to 3/8, do. hindquarters, forerib and flank 3/6 to 4/-. PORK—English under 10st. 5/6 to 6/-, do. 10st. to 15st. 4/10 to 5/4. Irish 15st. and under 4/10 to 5/8, do. suckers 5/4 to 6/-.

BRISTOL.—BACON—Supplies of English and Irish bacon were again in excess of requirements, whilst other descriptions generally ruled steady. However, no change was made in official quotations yesterday. HAMS—United States short cut for forward delivery sold at higher rates. LARD—The demand failed to improve, and prices became easier, with American about 2/- per cwt. lower, and other imported descriptions rather favoured buyers. CHEESE—English remained steady, but Canadian and New Zealand ruled firmer. BUTTER was in quiet request, and prices of New Zealand and Australian were about 3/- per cwt. down on the week, but Danish was steadier.

CARDIFF.—There has been some irregularity during the past week. The demand for bacon has fallen off somewhat, and prices are slightly lower, while Colonial butter has also eased, although Danish remains steady. Wholesale quotations, delivered in Cardiff district:—BACON—Irish quoted 72/- to 77/-, Danish 80/- to 87/- per cwt. HAMS—American steady at 90/- to 108/- per cwt. BUTTER—Irish creameries nominal. New Zealand quiet at 105/- to 109/-, and Danish steady at 128/- to 132/- per cwt. EGGS—Irish hen (best) firm at 18/3 to 19/3 per 120. POULTRY firm. Chickens 10d. to 1/2, hens 7d. to 11d. per lb.

BILLINGSGATE FISH.—Soles 11d. to 13d., slips 9d. to 12d., lobsters 18d. to 24d. per lb.; live eels 12/- to 26/-, dead 10/- to 22/- draught; turbot 6/- to 10/6, plaice 6/- to 11/-, brill 8/- to 9/-, halibut 5/- to 16/-, lemon soles 14/- to 17/-, whiting 2/6 to 3/6, hake 10/6 to 14/-, haddocks 2/6, skate wings 3/- to 5/- per stone.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE.—Market fairly well supplied, with demand steady, except swedes and mangolds, which appear to be little wanted, even at low prices ruling. York 30/- to 59/- large load, small 15/- to 21/-; Savoy, large 25/- to 39/-, small 12/- to 15/-; swedes, feeding 9d. to 10d. per cwt., table 1/- to 1/6; mangolds 9d. to 10d. cauliflowers 1/9 to 3/- doz., red cabbage 1/- to 1/6, beet 6d to 1/-, carrots 2/6 to 3/- bag, parsnips 2/- to 2/6, parsley 4d. to 6d. tray, 1/- bag; turnips 3d. to 6d. bunch, thyme 1d. to 1½d., celery 2/- to 3/-, sprouts 1/4 to 1/6 chip, apples 7/- to 17/- barrel and 5/- to 8/- keg.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Trade quietly steady, with supplies ample at 3/3 to 3/9 per cwt., best table classes.

DUBLIN FISH.—Fair supplies totalled 99 boxes mixed catch from one steam trawler, 10 chests lobsters, 80 boxes herrings, and a small amount from country and local senders. Demand equal to an early sell-up around previous values:—Lobsters 12/6 to 17/6 per 13 large, medium 6/- to 7/6, small 2/6 to 3/6; soles 25/- to 35/- per 9 pairs large, medium 12/6 to 15/-, slips 3/6 to 6/6; turbot 1/- to 7/6 each, brill 6d. to 2/6, herrings 5/- to 15/- box, plaice, small and large, 25/- to 60/- half box; cod 30 [illegible] to 60/-, whiting 17/6 to 30/-, white soles 15/- to 40/-, conger eels 5/- to 10/-, gurnard 5/- to 15/-, ray 10/- to 15/-, haddock 12/6 to 20/-, pollock 10/- to 12/6, hake 20/- to 80/-, and ling 10/- to 12/6.

PRODUCE.

LONDON.—SUGAR—British makes unaltered; steady trade demand. Foreign 96 p.c. raws December to the U.K. sellers 5/- c.i.f. Terminal firm; December sold 4/11½, March 5/2, August 5/5 to 5/5¼. December 5/7 per cwt. COFFEE—Quite a steady market on spot, but demand keeps quiet. COCOA steady, quiet; Accra G/F new crop 22/3, January-March 22/4½ per 50 kilos c.i.f. Terminal sales, 250 tons; January sold 22/4½, March 22/9, September 23/6, October 23/7½ per cwt. SPICE—Pepper generally quiet; Lampong black November-December buyers 2¾d., January-March 2⅞d.; white Muntok November-December quoted 4¼d., c.i.f. per lb. Cloves quiet, unaltered. Sago Flour sellers 9/- per cwt. c.i.f. HEMP—A slow market continued for Manila sorts; J2 January-March quoted £28, K sellers £24, L2 at £20, M2 £18 15/-. H £25, G £31, S2 £40, M1 £20 c.i.f. SISAL—Demand fails to revive; No. 1 African January-March quoted £27, No. 2 £25 10/-. A grade Java February-April £28 c.i.f. TEA—Java and Sumatra auctions totalled 4,054 packages. Active competition was experienced, and quite a good market resulted; prices generally ¼d. per lb. dearer. Strength of demand for leaf grades constituted a feature, while tippy teas were also eagerly sought after. Pekoe sold 10¼d. to 1/2½, broken do. 9d. to 1/2¼, orange Pekoe 11½d., with choice up to 4/6½, broken orange 9d. to 4/2½, fannings 8½d. to 1/6½. RUBBER in fair demand, and very steady; sheet spot and December sold 6⅛d., January-March 6¼d. to 6 5/16d. and 6⅜d., April-June 6 7/16d., July-September 6 9/16d. October-December 6 11/16d. per lb. JUTE—Market easier, mostly 7/6 per ton lower for firsts, and 3/9 Lightnings, with business confined to a moderate limit; about 5,000 bales. Firsts November-December sold £20 to £19 17/6, December-January £20 to £19 17/6, and finally £19 18/9. January-February £20 1/3 to £20 5/-; February-March £20 6/3 to £20. Lightnings October-November £18 17/6 to £18 15/-. November-December £18 13/9, December-January £18 13/9; Hearts December-January done £16 12/6. Daisee sellers £18 7/6. Tossa buyers £19 10/- c.i.f. Calcutta Hessians and Twills slow. SHELLAC—Market dull; T.N. spot 56/- to 60/-, November sellers 55/-, March 56/6, November-December c.i.f. 60/-.

OILS—Linseed quiet; spot (small lots) sellers 27/3, December 24/7½, January-April 25/1½, May-August 25/3. Rape steady; crude spot 36/6, refined 38/-. Cotton firm; crude Egyptian naked spot 26/-, common edible 30/-, deodorised barrels 34/6. Soya steady; English crude naked spot 31/-, deodorised barrels 37/6. Cocoanut quiet; Ceylon white drums spot 24/3, December 23/4½, January 23/1½, mill drums January 23/-. English deodorised barrels 33/-. Groundnut steady; English crude naked spot 35/6, deodorised barrels 41/6. Rosin Turpentine easier; American spot 44/-. steady; American grade B 12/7½, F/G 12/9 per cwt.

OILSEEDS—Linseed—Market quiet, and values barely steady; Plate to Hull all positions to March sellers £9 17/6; Calcutta to London November-December, also January £12 5/-; Bombay to London November, also December £12 15/-. Rapeseed quietly steady; Toria November-December £13 new January-February £13 10/-. Cottonseed dull and easier; Egyptian black to Hull November-December, also January £6 10/-. February-March £6 11/3; white nominally 5/- less. Groundnuts easier; Coromandel November £13 12/6, December new £13 7/6, January to May £13 2/6. Soya Beans slow; Manchurian to Continent afloat £7 13/9, November new £7 10/-. December £7 6/3. Castorseed steady; Bombay January £7 2/6. December-January £13 7/6; Calcutta do. £13 12/6 per ton c.i.f.

LIVERPOOL.—CANE SUGAR firm and sellers asking 5/- per cwt., c.i.f., for basis 96 deg. pol. raws, November-December shipments to United Kingdom ports. Refined descriptions continue steady, without quotable change. Tate and Lyle quotations—Crystals, ones, 20/9; granulated, standard, 18/4½; yellows, thirds, 17/6, ex-refinery Liverpool, less 1¼ per cent. discount. COCOA—West African kinds, on spot, in limited supply, and holders steady. Forward new crop quite steady. Sellers of good fermented Accra, November-January, 22/3, buyers 3d. less, December-February. JAPANESE PEAS continue at £17 5/- on spot, and c.i.f. parcels, to arrive, quoted £16 5/-. October-November shipments, and £16 per ton November-December. RICE BRAN steady at 92/6 per ton, ex-ship terms, Burmah, November-December shipments.

OIL CAKES—Imported descriptions steadily held for forward arrival positions, but the business passing on the quiet side. Linseed brands continue at £5 15/- for American, £6 for River Plate, and £6 5/- for Indian expeller, all c.i.f., November-December shipments.

OILSEEDS—Linseed without change for River Plate at £10 1/3, November-December, and £10 per ton February-March shipments new crop. Cottonseed—Value of distant shipments white sorts £4 15/- per ton, ex-ship terms. Palm Kernels fully steady, with sellers of December-January shipments £11 6/3, and January-February £11 7/6, buyers 1/3 per ton less.

PALM KERNEL OIL—Local-made steadily held for £23 10/- crushed and/or extracted crude, G.M.Q., and £28 10/- per ton deodorised, naked, ex-mills. GROUND NUT OIL continues steady for deodorised at £35 10/- per ton, naked, ex-mills Liverpool. COPRA OIL—Crushed crude without change at £23 10/- per ton for local-made, ex-mills. COCOA NUT OIL—Ceylon December shipments held for £23 10/- for white and £23 7/6 mill in drums and 5/- less for January. Straits quoted £21 10/- per ton December shipments to Liverpool, c.i.f. terms.

SEED OILS.—Cottonseed Oil steady at 30/- common edible and 32/- deodorised net, naked, ex-mills. Soya Oil unaltered for deodorised at 31/- per cwt., naked, ex-mills, Liverpool. Linseed Oil on the easy side at 30/9 raw and 32/3 per cwt. boiled on spot, in barrels, local-made, ex-mills. Palm Oil quite steady. Soft oils to Liverpool quoted £19 7/6 per ton, November-December and later positions to Liverpool. TALLOW unaltered, with South American beefs quoted 29/6 to 30/6, and Australian good colour, mixed, 30/- to 31/- per cwt., c.i.f. terms, forward shipments.

STORE CATTLE SALES

MESSRS. GANLY AND SONS.

The supply at yesterday's sale was again large, and included a very useful selection of well-bred Aberdeen-Angus and Hereford cross bullocks and heifers. Buyers were not so numerous as last week, and trade, on the whole, was quieter, with prices a shade lower, except for the best types, which maintained last week's rates. Quotations: Aberdeen-Angus and Hereford crosses made from 17/- to 20/6 per cwt., horned and polly bullocks 14/- to 18/6 per cwt.; Shorthorn heifers made from 17/- to 20/- per cwt.

MESSRS. GAVIN LOW, LTD.

Numbers similar to last week were forward for yesterday's sale of store cattle. While there was a scarcity of really best quality animals, the young cattle were a creditable show for the day of the year. The sale was well attended by both home and cross-Channel buyers, and trade moved on much the same lines as recently, with a very good clearance. Aberdeen-Angus bullocks made from £6 to £9 5/-, Shorthorn bullocks from £4 15/- to £6 5/-. Aberdeen-Angus heifers £6 12/6 to £8 [illegible]. Aberdeen-Angus yearlings £4 to £5 15/-. Hereford yearlings £4 to £5 10/-. Shorthorn yearlings £3 15/- to £5, springing heifers from £7 to £10 5/-.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY

LAW NOTICES—Friday, November 29.

COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEAL.

For Tuesday, 3rd December:—Applications for Leave to Appeal—Attorney-General v. Sidney Boyd; same v. John McGowan. Appeal on Certificate of Trial Judge—Attorney-General v. Charles F. Richmond.

AN PRIOMH-BHREITHEAMH.
(The Chief Justice.)

Before the Chief Justice, Saorstat Eireann, at 11.30 o'clock. Petition—12th Sect., C. E. Callan, Minors—Byrne, minors; Morgan, minors; Riordan, minors; O'Neill, minors; O'Neill, minors; Odlum, minors; McVeety, minors; Smyth, minors; Governey, minors.

AN ARD-CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS.
(The High Court.)

In Court 6 (at conclusion of the Bankruptcy List). Issue for Judgment—Northern Bank, Ltd., v. Davitt. W. R. Webster, decd., Webster v. Webster (Dickie, Coulter and Hamill); same matter and cause (Malcomson and Law). Summonses—Donnellan v. Donnellan; MacNamara v. Foster.

For Tuesday, 3rd Dec.:—Action—Fegan v. Great Northern Railway Co. (I.), Ltd. (at hearing).

For Wednesday, 4th Dec.:—Actions—Irwin v. Mulcahy; Paton v. Murray.

BANKRUPTCY.

In Court No. 6, at 11 o'clock—Arrangements—J. A. Connolly, Collins and Son, Collins and Son; O'Brien, first meeting comp., S. G. Rutherford; Kelly, first public sitting, Horan and Devine; Gafiney, confirm sale, J. H. Walsh and Co.

In Court 4, at 11 o'clock—Exparte Motions. On Notice—Malin v. Nugent; O'Brien and another v. Whelan. Summary Summonses—Hall, Ltd., v. Fennell; Finegold v. Verbey; Hall v. Duffy; Pye Radio, Ltd., v. Bourke; the Texas Co. (Ireland), Ltd., v. O'Donohue.

In Court 3 (at the conclusion of the List in Court 4)—Circuit Appeal. Southern Circuit—Cranny v. Pattison, at hearing.

PROBATE MOTIONS.

In Court No. 3, at 11 o'clock. Exparte—In the goods of:—Edward Dunne, supposed decd.; John Gallagher, supposed decd., and Ellen Kenny, supposed decd.; Richard P. Rogers, decd.; Mary Walsh, decd. On Notice—In the goods of Edward F. Leeson, decd. (at the sitting of the Court).

TRIALS BY JURY.

In Court 1 at 11 o'clock. Non-Jury—Torpley and Co. v. Stapleton and another claim (work done) (at hearing); Eustace-Duckett v. Thompson and another (possession).

For Monday, 2nd Dec.:—Non-Jury—O'Farrell v. Coady (breach of promise); McGrath and another v. Kelly (money due); Bagos Engineering Co., Ltd., v. Gruban and another and a counter-claim (money due); Mackin v. Kearney and another (issue); Hopewell v. Hopewell (matrimonial); Mullan v. Farrell (money due); Greene v. Cooney (goods sold); Smith v. Pierse (personal injuries).

LAND COMMISSION COURT.

Land Acts, 1923-33. At 23 Upper Merrion street. Before the Appeal Tribunal, at 11 o'clock. Exparte Applications. Appeals by Notice on Motion. Appeals against the Price of Untenanted Land. Section 25 (2), 1923 Act—Elizabeth Atkinson, owner (adjourned from 8/11/'35); Mary O'Shaughnessy, owner; Matthew Scanlon, do.; Reps. Albert Lowry, do.; Michael Quirke, do.; Reps. John Murtagh, do.; Eugene Byrne, do.; Roger Morrison, do.; Mary J. Higgins, do.; James Moore, do.; Lily A. Kenny and another, owners; Simon Leonard, owner; Patrick J. Leonard, do.; Mary Kenny, do.; Harold J. Allen, do.; Mary O'Keeffe, do.; Mary Brennan (now Mrs. Kate Hennessy), do.; Patrick Corcoran, do. Land Act, 1931, Section 14. Appeal by Owners against an Order of the Land Commission (furnishing particulars of holding)—Ernest W. Harris and others owners, Loftus Buckley applicant. Land Act, 1931, Section 44. Appeal by Applicant against an Order of the Land Commission—Executors of R. A. Cooke owners, Joseph P. Martin, applicant. The next (and final) sitting for this Term of the Appeal Tribunal has been fixed for Friday, the 6th December, at 23 Upper Merrion street, Dublin, at 11 o'clock.

MAISTIR NA hARD-CHUIRTE.
(The Master of the High Court.)

Before the Master, at 11 o'clock. Motions of Course. Summonses—Pearse v. Pearse; National Bank v. Doran; Northern Bank v. Byrne; National Bank v. Lenehan; Bank of Ireland v. Keays; Isaacs and Trustee Act, 1893; Anglo-Palestine Bank v. South Fur Manufacturing Co.; Blackstone and Co. v. Banks; Scarff v. Dixon; Ordman v. Guerin; Greene v. Ironmonger; Irish Glass Bottle Co. v. Keogh. On Notice—Malin v. Nugent; McCabe v. Minister for Local Government.

OIFIG AN MHAISTIR-MHEASAIREACHTA.
(The Taxing Master's Office.)

Master Denning, at 11 o'clock—Kildare County Council to Osborne, R. A. Osborne; Laughlin v. Great Northern Railway Co., W. Ramage.

Master O'Hanlon, at 11 o'clock. Exparte Taxations—Ormsby's Estate, Argue and Phibbs; Cochrane's Estate, Longfield, Jameson and Hamilton; Drought's Estate, Darley, Orpen and McGillicuddy; Butler-Kearney's Estate, Darley, Orpen and McGillicuddy; Harewood's Estate, Orpen and Sweeney; Orkney's Estate, Henry, Son and Galloway; Fawcett's Estate, Collis and Ward; Garnett's Estate, Cathcart and Hemphill; Palmer's Estate, Kerr and Hickey.

OIFIG AN SCRUDORA.
(The Examiner's Office.)

Mr. Healy (Room 113), at 11 o'clock—Derr Central Railway exparte Montagu; sign cert. Ballymena, Ballymoney, Coleraine and Portrus Junction Railway Co. exparte Montagu, sign cert.; Roy Ulster Bank, Ltd., v. Wilson, sign cert.; Bank of Ireland, Ltd., v. Kavanagh, sign cert. F. W. Rathborne, deceased, Mulvany v. Rathborn sign cert.; City and County (Permanent) Bene Building Society v. Armstrong.

Mr. Murphy (Room 17), at 11 o'clock—Ba man's Estate; Lynch's Estate.

Mr. Greville (Room 110), at 11 o'clock—Con Conlon, deceased, and H. Conlon, deceased, Con v. Candon; E. S. Coard, deceased, Coard v. Coar

BANKRUPTCY.

Before the Registrar, at 11 o'clock—Dark prove debts and vouch, P. Glynn; Ryan, do. Col and Son; Gargan, vouch account, C. J. Rutherfo Moran, reference, A. Cox.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.
Examiners' Chambers, at 93 Merrion Squar

Before Mr. Franks, at 11 o'clock—Moss (S. 1360), vouch. At 12 o'clock—Ryan's Tithes. 3 o'clock—E. S. Piggott (Turton rent) (S. 2 S. 3042), vouch.

Before Mr. Grove White, at 11 o'clock—Orr and another (S. 3261), vouch. At 3 o'clo Steeds (S. 4858), vouch. At 4 o'clock—F Cornwall (S. 3153), vouch.

Before Mr. de Courcy, at 11 o'clock—S. 21 Primrose—discharge rulings and settle sched

Before Mr. Spain, at 3 o'clock—Anne (S. 3412)—discharge rulings.

(At 89 Merrion square.)

Before Mr. Leet, at 11 o'clock—S. W. (S. 2600)—vouch. At 3 o'clock—K. E. patrick (Macnamara's rent) (S. 1396)—vouc

Before Mr. Ryan, at 3 o'clock—E. M. (S. 2507)—settle schedule.

Before Mr. O'Byrne, at 11 o'clock—G (S. 3224)—settle schedule.

Before Mr. Malvern White, at 11 o'clock— Doyle (S. 2369)—settle schedule.

Before Mr. Tyrrell, at 11 o'clock—W. Tyrrell (S. 4493)—vouch. At 3 o'clock— (S. 7362)—vouch.

(At 24 Upper Merrion street.)

Before Mr. Jackson, at 3 o'clock—Muns Leinster Bank (S. 7492)—vouch.

CENTRAL CRIMINAL COURT.
Green Street Courthouse.

Jurors 1 to 200 must attend this day, 29th instant. Jurors 201 to 400 need no until Monday, 2nd December, 1935. Absen will be fined.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHEAMNAIS CHU
(Circuit Court of Justice.)

Before Judge Davitt, at the Law Chancery place. In Court No. 7, at 11 Evans v. Smallman (motion). Equity Applications—Mary Monica Reid, a minor Hoare, a minor; Arthur Phillips, a minor Cullen, a minor; Mary Brennan, a minor O'Brien, a minor; Mary Margaret Byrne, Winifred Bolger, a minor; Mary Jane minor; Robert Costello, a minor; Bridge a minor; Christopher Delaney, a minor Hannah, a minor; Mary Anne Robinson, Frances Lawless, a minor; Carmel G minor; Josephine Lane, a minor; Mathe a minor; Annie Keegan, a minor; Ag a minor; James Valentine, a minor; Hickey, a minor; Josephine Sullivan, James McNerney, a minor; Sarah Dunne Elizabeth Murran, a minor; Robert minor; Henderson, minors; Stephen Keating, a minor; May Gissane, a min Gannon, a minor; Markey, minors; Car Jones, minors; Stephen Griffin, a mino minors; Medley, minors; William minor; Coleman, minors; Margaret minor; Elizabeth Ryan, a minor; Pat a minor; William Joseph Baker, a m minors; Mansfield, minors; Neill, min field, minors; Rose Kelly, a minor; An a minor; Raphael Howard, a min minors; Annie Campbell, a minor; Brown, a minor; Kathleen Jones, Winifred Kinsella, a minor; Maura minor; Joan Casey, a minor; Fitzpat minor; John Kinsella, a minor; Charles Ry Civil Action—King v. Lemon.

Before Judge Shannon, at the Chancery place. In Court No. 8, a Applications for Summary Judgmen Hayden, 10390; Ellison v. Fox, 1 Actions—McAvin v. Baxter (part he v. Corporation, 9138; Malley v. McGee v. McGee, 6743; Nicholson v Ltd., 9153; Loughlin v. Davis, 9159 McParland; Graham v. Healy, 90 Lennon, 9094.

AN CLARATHOIR CONT
(The County Registrar.)

12.30 o'clock. Equity—Cross Northern Bank v. Dowling. Conlo tax costs; McGrath v. Christian, tax v. Kelly, tax costs; Adye Curran costs; Commins v. Nicholson, tax v. Hayden, tax costs.

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